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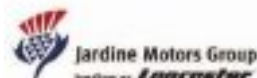


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## Homes plan put on hold

BY JAMES AVERILL  
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**CAMPAIGNERS aiming to stop homes being built on green spaces are celebrating after Milton Keynes Council said the 21 sites would be looked at again.**

Residents were furious after a number of council-owned sites – many of which are play areas and open spaces – were earmarked for potential development in a document named the Sites Allocation Plan.

But at a meeting last night, the

council put its plans on hold after the document was 'called in' by unhappy councillors.

It marked a win for campaigners hoping to retain spaces for residents to enjoy, but leaves the council trying to find alternative sites to ease a crippling shortage of houses in the city.

Sites withdrawn by the authority include Coltsfoot Place in Conniburrow – a play park widely used by the community – and open spaces in Kellan Drive, Fishermead, Franklin's Croft, Wolverton, and Coleshill Place, Bradwell Common.

Linda Inoki, a member of pressure group Xplain, had been campaigning against the proposals.

She said: "It was madness that it got as far as it did, but it was the right thing to do to withdraw the sites."

Councillor Peter MacDonald, who called the decision in, said it was 'a victory for commonsense'.

Cllr Rob Middleton, cabinet member for resources and commercialism, was the councillor responsible for withdrawing the sites.

He told MK NEWS: "Many people in the community said they were

unhappy with it, so we have listened. "We will go away and do a lot of work and see what they want to happen with these spaces. We need to clarify if people want them as green open spaces, which would protect them. Or they could be brought forward for housing if that is something residents don't mind."

"But if any of the sites end up being brought forward again, there would

be consultation for each site separately."

The decision has narrowed down the number of sites available to build houses – with Cllr Middleton admitting that there was 'a housing crisis'.

It comes as the number of people using B&B accommodation in the city remains high, with 124 households in temporary homes last week, according to the council.

Cllr Middleton remained 'confident' Labour would meet its pledge of building 200 council homes every year from 2017 onwards.

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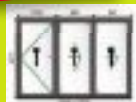


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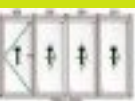
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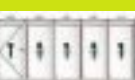
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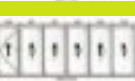
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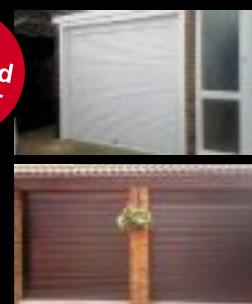
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# Woman sets up an online petition after two cats are killed

BY MAY BULMAN  
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**A WOMAN has launched a petition to reduce speeding on an estate after two of her cats were killed on the same road.**

Tiffany Faulkner, 23, from Great Holm, created the online petition last week urging Milton Keynes Council to add more speed humps and road signs to built-up areas.

It comes after Tiffany found her cat Harry dead on the road outside her house in Haddon – the same place her cat Millie died two years before.

She said: "Seeing my cat left on the side of the road with his eyes hanging out and his head caved in is not what I wanted my last memories of him to be.

"The vet said the driver must have been travelling at some speed and hit him head

on. Cars fly up and down this road all the time. My cat Millie died two years ago on the same road.

"There are no speed humps in Haddon, Holyrood or Kensington Drive, which are the main roads that run through the estate."

Tiffany, who has two other cats and a four year-old son named Lewis, hopes her petition will urge the council to take action to improve the safety of not only pets but also children in the area.

She writes in the petition: "Some might say it's only a cat, but what if next time it's only a child?"

Since it was published on June 20, the petition has gained 681 supporters.

"It went crazy straight away and was up to 200 the morning after I put it up, then it calmed down and I thought that was it," added Tiffany.

"But then about a few days later it shot up again and now

it's on almost 700. I never expected to get this much support. I just hope it leads to some action."

A council spokesman said: "We will always take on board concerns from local residents about speeding – or any other safety concerns – in their area.

"We work closely with the police to gain their support for effective enforcement, but we are restricted by national legislation in relation to speed signs.

"Where there is a 30mph speed limit sign, in a clearly built-up area such as the estate in question, 'smaller' signs are not permitted.

"Of course, we would urge people to stick to the speed limit. It's 30mph for a reason."

If you wish to sign the petition, you can view it online at [www.mkweb.co.uk](http://www.mkweb.co.uk)

You can also share your views on our Facebook page and @YourMKWeb on Twitter.

**Petition: Tiffany Faulkner with her cat Donny**



## Sex assault claim at a care home

POLICE are investigating an alleged sexual assault at a care home in the northern area of Milton Keynes.

A 79-year-old man was arrested in connection with the alleged assault but has been released pending further enquiries.

An MK NEWS source, who did not want to be named, claimed an elderly woman with Alzheimer's was raped by another resident at the care home and has been left distraught by what happened.

Northamptonshire Police said in a statement: "We are investigating an alleged sexual assault at a care home on Monday, June 15. A 79-year-old man was arrested in connection with the alleged incident and has been released on bail pending further enquiries."

For legal reasons the care home cannot be named, but if you have details that could help call Northamptonshire Police on 03000 111 222.

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# Man 'oinked' at neighbours

A NUISANCE neighbour and 'mad hair' competition finalist who was convicted of 'oinking' at his neighbours to taunt them about their weight allegedly breached a restraining order by contacting them after he was sentenced.

Luton Magistrates' Court confirmed to MK NEWS that Stephen Aylott, 53, pictured, was convicted of one charge of harassment on May 28.

A court spokesman said he was also ordered not to communicate with his neighbours in Eleanor Close, Woburn, intimidate them and bang on the joining walls of their property and not to park or obstruct their driveway. He was also made to pay £750 in compensation.

Neighbours told this newspaper that as well as the pig noises, Mr Aylott threw articles about weight loss into their garden to taunt them.

One neighbour did not wish to discuss the matter with MK NEWS as it had 'taken too much toll' on their life, though they confirmed Mr Aylott was no longer at the property.

But another neighbour claimed he had been a nuisance in Eleanor Close, which comprises



sheltered housing and is home to elderly people.

The neighbour, who did not wish to be named, said: "He causes all sorts of problems for everyone. He's got a Jeep, a quad bike and a sports car and he parks them all over the place and in the way so you can hardly get through."

"He's been causing problems since he got here – not just the pig noises to his neighbours."

Mr Aylott is said to have breached the restraining order and faced two further charges of harassment at the same court on

Thursday. He has denied the charges and will face a trial on October 1. He has been remanded on conditional bail.

Mr Aylott may be remembered by readers for reaching the final shortlist of a Mad March Hair competition in March 2013, which was reported in MK NEWS.

The competition saw readers send in their 'mad' hairstyles to win tickets to see the musical Hairspray at Milton Keynes Theatre.

He narrowly missed out on the top prize in a public vote.

# Who are these hooded men?

BY JESSICA DUNCAN

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A SINGLE mother-of-three believes she has caught two thieves on her CCTV camera, which she installed after her car was broken into seven times.

Corina Cleaver from Ealing Close, Monkston, has been sharing the video and screen grabs of two hooded men believed to have been trying to break into cars in the cul-de-sac.

Mrs Cleaver's neighbours claim a camera and sat-nav were stolen from two cars on Sunday, June 21 at about 1.30am.

The video has been viewed

more than 2,000 times and Mrs Cleaver has passed the information on to police.

The 34-year-old had her car broken into seven times last year and watched the CCTV in horror on Sunday morning as the two figures lurked near her car.

Corina was at home with her children when she spotted the men. She said: "The cars broken into were near mine. It always happens in Monkston and last year my car got done seven times."

"The police are aware of it and we just hope that someone might recognise their clothing and who they are. Someone must know them."

"It was horrible watching

them and not being able to do anything because I was on my own with my children.

"I didn't sleep very well for three days."

"More neighbours are now getting CCTV and I hope we can deter people from coming back to try their luck."

The CCTV appears to show the two men walking along the drives and front gardens of the houses in the close.

Mrs Cleaver added: "If anyone recognises these hood rats that were trying to go into all my neighbours' cars, please come forward and tell the police."

"It would be amazing if MK NEWS could help us find them."

## MKNEWS BRIEFS

### Man takes to roof

A MAN had a six-hour standoff with police in Chapman House, Downs Barn, on Monday night after climbing onto the roof of a house. He was brought down and later arrested by police.

### Road rage attack

A MAN was punched in the face by a driver in a road rage assault at around 1.20pm on Friday on Denbig West industrial estate.

### Fraudulent nurse

AARON Errington, 21, pleaded guilty to fraud at Milton Keynes Magistrates' Court on Friday. He was fined £35 and told to pay £180 costs and a £20 victim surcharge.

## The Agora demolition backed

PLANNING officers have recommended Wolverton Agora is demolished.

The application seeks the redevelopment of the site to provide 100 flats, eight retail

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## Six arrests made in town

POLICE arrested six people on suspicion of immigration offences in Newport Pagnell.

Three men were arrested on suspicion of illegal entry into the UK at Newport Pagnell Service Station on Friday after officers received reports of men leaving a lorry trailer.

The men were taken into custody and their case is being looked into by

immigration services.

On Monday Home Office Immigration Enforcement were contacted after three Eritreans, two adults and a child, were arrested by officers in the grounds of St Peter and St Paul's Church.

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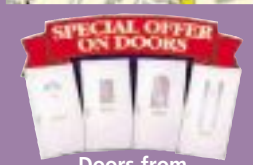
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Route 14 has been run with only two buses per hour (except for a short inbound morning peak service of three vehicles and three buses running outbound between 4pm and 6pm Monday to Friday).

The reason is very simple – the residents of Greenleys, Hodge Lea, Two Mile Ash and Great Holm just did not use the service. On the other hand, the number of users justified a bus every 10 minutes from the Bletchley end.

The punctuality of the number 14 section has improved vastly with the introduction of a seven-minute 'layover' at each end, compared to the four minutes in operation until the May changes.

I should have thought it to be a benefit to the residents of Two Mile Ash that route 14 now has no diversions via Great Monks Street on account of the school run congestion both in the morning and afternoon.

My late wife and I never learnt to drive so I have been a bus user for 77 years. The Milton Keynes Bus Users Group committee, of which I am a member, does keep an eye on the general loading of buses within the urban area and, less frequently, the more rural locations.

**Leonard Lean**  
Sokeman Close  
Greenleys



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## Film not true Imitation

IN YOUR newspaper dated June 17 was a column by Jon Brett, in which he comments about The Imitation Game, starring Benedict Cumberbatch.

He mentioned the American Enigma film U-571 is historically-inaccurate.

From what I've read on the internet about the latest film about Alan Turing it is also full of historical errors. One person posted a list of errors they have spotted in the film, which I think should only be read after seeing the film so not to spoil watching it.

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There were also things I did not like about the film. It keeps jumping between the 1940s and 1950s period and when I watched the DVD I skipped the 1950s period.

I would have preferred the 1950s period to be at the later half of the film, for those like me who only wanted to see Alan Turing's 1940s period at Bletchley Park.

**John Pearce**  
Bletchley

# Jon Brett's City Life

His column written exclusively for MK NEWS



## It's all change at Grade II-listed bus station

WE LOVE nice architecture here at the City Life office.

Milton Keynes will never match the art deco splendour of New York or Chicago, but we do have, err, the bus station.

That's right. Central Milton Keynes bus station has received Grade II-listed status by the Department for Culture, Media and Sport on the recommendation of English Heritage.

Built by Milton Keynes Development Corporation in 1982-83, architect and designer Derek Yeadon sums up what most of us are thinking when we look at the building by saying: "It's not shouting 'look at me'; it's a sparse design, which is there to serve the public." No kidding.



Derek Yeadon at the old bus station in Elder Gate

But, unusually, the building itself isn't as far removed from Chicago as you might expect. When it first

opened, the building featured a waiting room and café downstairs for passengers and bus drivers

alike. Upstairs, however, was a cavernous space which stood empty, until it became the Chicago Rock Café, the first combined nightclub and restaurant to open in Milton Keynes.

Queues stretched around the building on Friday and Saturday nights and it was the only place to be and be seen.

Many would argue this was the bus station's glory years full of clubbers, now well into their 50s and 60s, dancing the night away to 80s anthems.

Today the building is home to a youth organisation and attracts angst ridden teenage skateboarders. Oh, and probably one or two bus passengers from time to time.

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Extra security: Jon Brett snapped armed police on a beach in Tunisia after the terrorist attack

# Columnist tells of 'tense' Tunisia

BY CHRIS KNIGHT  
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MK NEWS columnist Jon Brett has described the 'tense atmosphere' in Tunisia following the horrific terror attacks.

Jon, who writes his City Life columns in this newspaper every two weeks, is currently on holiday close to the resort of Sousse, where, on Friday, an ISIS gunman shot dead more than 39 people – up to 21 of which could be British nationals.

But the Brett family are determined not to cut short their holiday, a 20-minute drive from the site of the

beach attack.

Speaking to MK NEWS from Tunisia on Monday, Jon said: "Today holidaymakers were stopped in their tracks on the beach as a jeep full of heavily-armed soldiers drove by."

"Far from offering reassurance, it caused some panic and people who had been swimming in the sea made a bee-line to the shore fearing the worst."

"More families left our hotel after Thomas Cook put on a flight into Manchester, despite many originally flying out of Gatwick and Birmingham. They are just desperate for a flight back."

On Friday, Jon and his family watched television with

horror as the gunman carried out his mass slaughter.

But Jon says he is determined not to leave so the 'terrorists don't win', adding the attacks have had a huge impact on the area.

He said: "What's been overwhelming is the genuine upset and anger felt by Tunisians who realise what a devastating affect this has had on the tourist industry, which they rely on so heavily. "Shops are empty and the thriving business of taking tourists on camel rides along the beach has been wiped out as people see themselves as sitting targets."

Read more at [www.mkweb.co.uk](http://www.mkweb.co.uk)

## MKNEWSBRIEFS

### Ride for Willen

BROTHERS Connor and Fraser MacArthur, aged eight and five, from Olney, rode 10 miles a day for eight days to raise more than £2,000 for Willen Hospice in Ride for Willen. To donate visit [www.justgiving.com/Ride-for-Willen](http://www.justgiving.com/Ride-for-Willen).

### MyPlatform launches

AN APP has been created by Crownhill-based Trajan so your smartphone can take pictures or video of anything attached to a microphone or telescope. The app was trialled at Denbigh School.

### Park is put on map

BLETCHLEY Park has been included on a map showing buildings and locations in Britain that have a Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual or Transsexual history as part of the Pride of Place project run by Leeds Beckett University historians.

## No fans of food van

RESIDENTS say they may 'move home' if councillors grant a five-hour licence to a kebab van.

Residents in Elgar Grove, Browns Wood, have submitted objections to Tony's Kebabs being given a licence to trade from 5pm to 10pm, Monday to Saturday. The van currently trades in a car park on the road between 5pm and 6pm.

But residents have joined

Walton Community Council in objecting to extending the licensing hours.

One resident, who did not wish to be named, said: "One customer urinated in the car park. It will attract all kinds of anti-social behaviour and litter problems in the area. I would probably move house if they're allowed to stay."

The licence is due to be discussed tonight. More at [www.mkweb.co.uk](http://www.mkweb.co.uk)

## Hopes for 'minibus' trials

MILTON Keynes Council is 'actively considering' a minibus transit system similar to one trialled in Helsinki.

The scheme would see passengers hail a minibus, which offered the choice of a cheaper journey sharing with other passengers, or a private, more expensive service.

Users could also determine when and where they get on and disembark.

A trial of the scheme was due to be discussed as part of the Draft Parking and Transport Strategy at a council meeting last night.

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# Health warning for hot weather



BY JESSICA DUNCAN

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**RESIDENTS** are set bask in the hottest day of the year so far today, sparking warnings from Milton Keynes University Hospital and Age UK MK.

The Met Office has issued a Level Two alert as temperatures soar to around 31 degrees Celsius.

Hospital staff are being briefed on what to expect. According to NHS Milton Keynes CCG, last year A&E saw the highest number of attendances between June and July. A lot of the patients who attended were discharged the same day with advice and told to self-care or visit their pharmacy.

The very young and the elderly are particularly at risk in this weather. The main risks are dehydration, heat exhaustion and heatstroke. Residents are advised to stay out of the sun between 11am and 3pm and to close curtains to keep rooms cool.

Paul Griffiths, engagement officer at Age UK MK, said: "Our staff will be preparing the people they meet, but if residents can check on older neighbours that would be helpful."

Dr Nicola Smith, chairman of the CCG, said: "Many problems can be treated at home or by calling NHS 111."

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Out on the water: WakeMK owner Mark Robinson and dog Kim take to Willen Lake to cool down

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IT IS not just humans who need to take care in the hot weather – dogs do too.

The RSPCA are reminding owners that even if you have parked in the shade and left windows open, it is still very dangerous to leave your dog in a car.

The charity stresses that people should not be afraid to dial 999 but adds that, if the situation becomes critical for the dog and you feel the need to break a window, make sure you tell the police, take images, footage and the names and numbers of any witnesses as the law states it is criminal damage.

■ For more tips on how to look after your dog in hot weather, turn to MK LIFE.

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# Driver is warned over phone film

BY JESSICA DUNCAN

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A TAXI driver has been given his 'first and final warning' after he was caught driving while using his mobile phone.

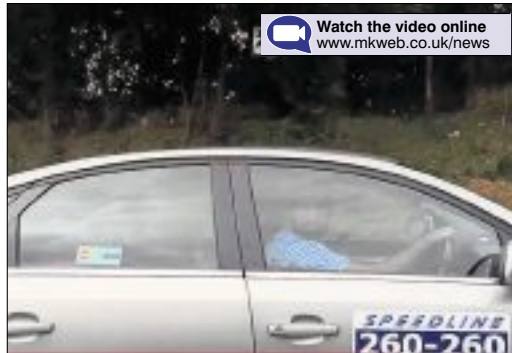
A video was shared with MK NEWS showing the driver on his phone while he was travelling along the H3 Monks Way and going around a roundabout on Sunday afternoon.

The person who took the video claims he narrowly missed touching the back of a car they were in a passenger in, which prompted them to film the driver on their mobile phone.

In the video the driver spots he is being filmed and puts down the phone.

The taxi driver, who works for Speedline Taxis based in Old Stratford, was off duty when the video was taken and the company has condemned his action and urged the person who took the video to report it to Thames Valley Police.

Sarah Prottor, a manager



Caught in the act: This off-duty Speedline driver was on his phone

at Speedline Taxis, said: "We have spoken to the driver involved.

"He was not working at the time but he has been given a first and final warning.

"He has been told if it happened again he will be dismissed and we advised the person who took the video to call the police and report it."

It is UK policy that off-duty taxi drivers take their com-

pany stickers and licences off their cars, or drive their personal vehicles, to make it clear they are not working.

A spokesman from Thames Valley Police said: "It is illegal to use a handheld mobile phone or a device for sending or receiving data while driving.

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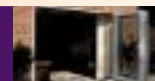


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# Behind bars for robbing an OAP

BY JAMES AVERILL

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**A ROBBER who targeted a 74-year-old woman in broad daylight leaving her 'deeply distressed' has been jailed for 18 months.**

Paul Haywood, 28, of Bossiney Place, Fishermead, was found guilty of one count of robbery by a unanimous jury after a three-day trial at Aylesbury Crown Court, which ended on Friday. He was sentenced to 18 months in prison and ordered to pay a £100 victim surcharge.

On November 8 2014, Haywood robbed the pensioner in Heelands, using force to take her bag which contained cash and other belongings.

He was arrested soon after the attack and charged the following day.

Investigating officer, Detective Constable Paddy Navin, from Local CID at Milton Keynes Police Station, said: "The victim in this case was a 74-year-old woman who was just going about her daily business.



Paul Haywood has been jailed

"She was subjected to an unprovoked attack which left her disoriented and deeply distressed.

"Members of the public came to her aid and assisted police in identifying Haywood as the culprit.

"Officers from Thames Valley Police Mounted Section were on patrol near-

by and arrested him.

"This has been a long and arduous process for both the victim and witnesses and I would like to offer my thanks, on behalf of Thames Valley Police, to both the victim and the witnesses for their bravery and steadfastness.

"I welcome the sentence of the court and hope that it will act as a deterrent to those who feel they can prey upon the most vulnerable. This result illustrates how Thames Valley Police remains committed to protecting the community from harm."

The cowardly nature of Haywood's crime left our readers furious, with many saying the robber deserved longer behind bars.

One reader, Paul Griffiths, said on our Facebook page: "Why is it that criminals who target people who are disabled or because of their race or religion can be charged with a 'hate crime' which increases their sentence, but not criminals who target older people?"

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# Classic movies revived by club

BY SARAH LEE

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**LOVERS** of classic movies are being invited to a new independent cinema club, which launches on Sunday.

Cult Cinema Sunday is a monthly club offering a 'fun afternoon of nostalgia and free popcorn.'

Carl and Lesley Krishner, who are both in their early 50s, have set up the club in Newton Longville, in conjunction with the Community Association at Longueville Hall, to recreate the feel of a 1970s cinema by showing classic films, Pearl and Dean adverts and vintage trailers.

Carl, a film producer from Oakhill, said: "As a lover of classic films I felt it would be great if film lovers could get the chance to see the full impact these films have in the way they were meant to be seen on the big screen."

"I am a film producer and have wanted to see something like this in MK for a long time. So, with the manager and community association at Longueville Hall, we decided



Movie magic: Lesley Krishner, a founder of Cult Cinema Sunday

it would be the right time to finally get this moving for true movie fans and lovers of classic films.

Lesley added: "We are very excited to present some of these great films in HD on our 15-foot screen in a great venue. I hope people will support us and build this Cult Cinema Sunday a cult following of its own. To be part of this very exciting club will enable people to talk film and

meet up afterwards at our fully licensed bar."

The club plans to screen a range of classic movies in all genres, including The Wicker Man, Dirty Harry, Midnight Cowboy, The Railway Children, Witchfinder General and Star Wars.

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# New festival plans to celebrate urban arts

BY CHRIS KNIGHT  
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**FLAWLESS and So Solid Crew will perform in the city's CurbanA Festival next month.**

At least 50 artists and groups will be at the event at Willen Lake with more acts due to be announced shortly.

The festival combines attractions with performances from domestic and international musicians, DJs, dance groups, spoken word performers and street artists.

CurbanA is being brought to Milton Keynes by directors Dean Attil, 27, Isaac Kikabi, 25, and Dwayne Miller, 25 – three friends who met as students at Leicester University.

Dean told MK NEWS: "We came together about a year-and-a-half ago. Our urban culture isn't really recognised – it should be at the forefront of things."

"The name CurbanA literally stands for celebration of urban arts."

"Our aim is to promote, celebrate, and recognise urban culture."

"We just thought let's bring it all together in terms of music, dance, fashion and street art, and let's bring all the people and different segments that love urban culture."

Willen Lake was selected ahead of Campbell Park as the venue and Dean believes the festival could become a yearly fixture in Milton Keynes.

He added: "We also chose Milton Keynes because a festival of this type has never happened here before. A new festival for a new city – it just made sense."

"For the first year, we're aiming for 3,500 people but the long-term plan is to create a community, a following and a landmark in our culture."

"In five years time, we want to be attracting more than 20,000 people."

The festival will take place on Saturday, August 1 from 11am to 10pm.



Recognising urban culture: CurbanA Festival director Dean Attil at Willen Lake, where the festival will be held

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# Driverless pods are

Virtual reality is usually associated with Hollywood films like *The Matrix*, but it's a lot closer to home than you think, as SCOTT KIRK found out

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Those testing the different scenarios are fitted with goggles and a vest which are connected to wires on the roof. The person stands on a raised platform where, surrounding a pad in the middle, were rollers similar to those your luggage goes on at the airport, which is what you walk on.

It dazzles your brain as you are transported into this virtual world outside Milton Keynes Central train station and it was amazing to see the pods move away as you approached them.

The goggles totally immerse you in this virtual world and you feel like you're in a giant computer game.

In the future, staff are looking into the possibility of adding touch to create an even better experience.

There are a host of uses catapult staff want to use virtual reality for, such as working out evacuation procedures for a ship.

If you are a business interested in using the virtual reality, email [model.lingandvisualisation@ts.catapult.org.uk](mailto:model.lingandvisualisation@ts.catapult.org.uk)



Where am I: The catapult's Martin Pett gets his bearings in CMK



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Virtual reality: Martin Pett tells MK NEWS reporter Scott Kirk how to use it before he has a go

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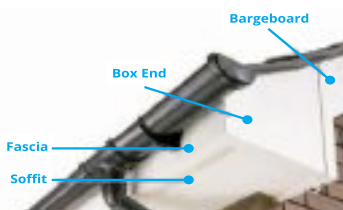




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# Still chance to join MK Midnight Moo

BY JESSICA DUNCAN

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**IT'S not too late to take part in the city's biggest ladies night out on Saturday.**

From midnight more than 1,000 women will put on their walking shoes to complete a 10-mile course around the

city in the MK Midnight Moo event to raise money for Willen Hospice.

The charity provides end of life care for the terminally ill, such as Kayleigh Welch's father. Peter Bewick spent his final days at the hospice before he died of stomach cancer. To say thank you

Kayleigh is doing the walk along with MK NEWS' Jessica Duncan. The 28-year-old said: "Willen Hospice was amazing and helped not just dad but the whole family."

Find out how to enter the walk, backed by MK NEWS and MKWeb, at [www.mkweb.co.uk](http://www.mkweb.co.uk)



## Fans queue to see X Factor boy band

X FACTOR finalists Stereo Kicks performed in front of hundreds of fans at BHS in the centre:mk on Thursday.

Some fans had queued outside for almost 10 hours to see the eight-piece band, who performed their new single Love Me So and

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Lining up: Friends of Scott Clark and his family prepare to do a conga. Below, Scott as The Joker

# Superheroes do conga for Scott

BY CHRIS KNIGHT  
editor@mk-news.co.uk

**A BOY with brittle bones inspired a superhero conga.**

Twelve-year-old Scott Clark lives with his family in Loughton but suffers from osteogenesis imperfecta.

He travels to The Children's Hospital in Sheffield every month to receive specialist treatment. But rather than let the disease get him down, Scott has given back to those who have helped him.

The youngster inspired a conga around Furzton Lake, where superheroes and villains put their differences aside for The Children's Hospital Charity.



Superman, Poison Ivy, Darth Vader, Catwoman, Batman and Robin were all in attendance for the fundraising event on Saturday, which raised a total of £604.97.

It was Scott's idea to assemble the group of 20 to raise money and he led the parade of unlikely allies dressed as

the Joker.

Donna Hunt, Scott's god-mother, said: "He has been amazed by the turn out of people, both of his and his mum's friends. He was overwhelmed by the support."

"Two years ago Scott donated all his birthday money to the charity and future events will be based on whatever he decides."

Sydney Sandever, a friend of Scott's who attended dressed as Catwoman, added: "I think it is extremely extraordinary that we have been able to raise so much for the Children's Hospital Charity."

"I did not expect it to go as well as it did and I found it all very inspiring."

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# May's fast way of

After visiting the Islamic Centre in Coffee Hall, MAY BULMAN decided to forgo food and drink and fast for a day alongside Milton Keynes' Muslim community. But how did she get on?

height when a deliveryman knocked on the door and a tower of pizza boxes was brought into the office for everyone, except me, to enjoy.

As they all tucked in, I decided that this was my cue to leave. Fed up of the sight of food, I headed to the Islamic Centre in Coffee Hall, where I could be sure there would be none in sight.

My visit coincided with prayer time, so there were plenty of Muslims there to share my fasting experience with. As I stood feeling parched and daydreaming of pizza, I noticed how unaffected they seemed, smiling and laughing despite not having eaten or drank for 10 hours.

But after posing a few questions, I began to understand why. "Fasting is a special experience," said Ahmed Hildal, manager at the Islamic Centre.

"You begin to realise how lucky we are that we have food and drink available to us all the time. It makes you think about less fortunate people in the world, who go hungry most days of the year."

"This is what Ramadan is about - thinking about and trying to help people suffering during this time."

Lincoln Bedeau, who con-

**I DID it. I went a full 18 hours without touching food or drink, to see what it is like for all of the Muslims in Milton Keynes observing Ramadan.**

It wasn't easy, but going through the day without consuming a thing was certainly an eye-opening experience.

It all started with Sahur, a light meal eaten just before dawn or, in other words, a

chance to force some breakfast down in an attempt to fill up before the long fast ahead.

Having set my alarm for 2.15am, I stumbled down the stairs still half asleep and tried to cobble together some sort of nutritional fuel.

Unable to whip up a buttery chapatti as my friend at the Islamic Centre recommended, my Sahur consisted of a portion of porridge, a banana, some tea, a few dates and a mini pie.

Perhaps not the traditional way of doing things, but what could be expected from an amateur like me? I gulped it down with a pint of water, and headed back to bed on a full stomach.

Sahur saw me through until around 10am when, already, hunger pains started shooting through me. Sitting in the office with four packets of chocolate digestives on the desk behind me was a painful experience.

But the struggle reached its



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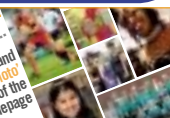
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# sharing Ramadan



my general state of mind.

When I got back to the office I kept myself busy with work and, even though a cool glass of water with a meaty sandwich would've been nice, I felt quite content without it.

By around 5pm the low energy levels started to show and, although I didn't feel desperately hungry, I realised how tired I was. This, my friend Rehana Ahad explained, is why during Ramadan people are expected to rest more than usual.

"It's a time to stop being preoccupied by other things in life and instead take time to reflect and be grateful for what we have," she said.

It was with Rehana, who lives in Conniburrow, that I broke my fast. At 9.30pm, I sat around a table covered with a delicious selection of food with her family.

My experience of Ramadan has been one to remember. I've realised that fasting is not simply about starving yourself for the day, but rather about taking time off eating to reflect on how lucky we are.

Yes, there were tough, tortuous moments, but you soon realise that a lot of what we consume, we don't really need. Having said that, where's the pizza?

verted to Islam 10 years ago, said: "Fasting is like a physical and mental detox. It lets you clear out, not only your body, but also your mind."

Leaving the centre, I felt more positive. I realised my

temptation to nibble a biscuit or sneak in a slice of pizza stemmed more from greed than proper hunger. I actually started to feel like fasting was doing me some good, both physically and for

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## A load of fun at carnival

A RECORD-HOLDING strongman will be attempting to set a new world record by balancing a 13-foot tower of scaffolding on his head at Newport Pagnell Carnival on Saturday.

In addition, 27 gorilla tubs, 12 tyres, a 20 foot pole and a mini cooper will all feature as part of John Evans' head balancing act in Riverside Meadow.

The 68-year-old said: "I am delighted to be performing in Newport Pagnell – making history and putting on a performance that people will never forget."

The carnival will start at noon with a 50 Bedtime Stories parade celebrating the 50th anniversary

of Newport Pagnell's youth club. There will also be other activities including live music, a 'have a go' stall by Newport Pagnell Archers, paintball alley and appearances from the carnival's mascot Carni Croc.

On Sunday there will be a classic car parade and show, dog show hosted by Hula Animal Rescue, a car boot and duck race.

Carnival chairman Sam Miller said: "We have got so much going on and more surprises to be announced that you'd be a fool to miss out!"

The carnival takes place from noon to 6pm on Saturday and noon to 4pm on Sunday.



Using his head: John Evans will be at Newport Pagnell Carnival

## Gifts handed to boy trapped in store loo

BY JESSICA DUNCAN

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A TOY store attempted to brighten a little boy's day by giving him presents and ice cream after he got trapped in its toilet with his dad.

The father and his son, who is believed to be about five years old, got stuck in the loo

at Toys R Us on Saturday, June 13. Staff had to call Buckinghamshire Fire and Rescue Service and a crew from Bletchley attended the Grafton Gate store to rescue the pair.

Deputy store manager Lauren O'Brien said: "Because the boy said he was hot when he was stuck we

promised him an ice cream and gave him one as well as all the firefighters.

"The boy was in the store for his sister's birthday so we told him to get a present for her and himself on us. His family thanked us."

Do you know the father and son? Email jessica.duncan@mk-news.co.uk

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# MK A team win championship

BY CHRIS KNIGHT

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FOR the first time ever, a team from Milton Keynes has triumphed in the UK Six-A-Side Football Championships.

Milton Keynes A, formed largely of players from Punjab United, lifted the trophy on June 20 after beating Edgware A 2-1 on penalties in the grand final.

More than 250 teams competed in the competition at the Pavillion in Moor Lane, Birmingham, bidding to secure national glory.

Milton Keynes A defeated teams from Aylesbury, Leicester, Lincoln and Liverpool on route to the final and won all nine of their fixtures.

Hardeep Marwaha, manager for the side and Punjab United, said: "We dominated each game but the other teams learned how we played and sat back and defended."

"The round of 32 was the closest we came to elimination, when we missed our first penalty in the shootout."

Daniel Delderfield was the



Celebrating: Milton Keynes A won the football championship

top-scorer for Milton Keynes A with three goals, while goalkeeper Saajan Sehajpal was named man-of-the-match in the final and smashed home the winning penalty.

Hardeep also singled out Immanuel 'Seun' Soetan for praise, naming him as the team's standout performer.

As well as lifting the trophy, Milton Keynes A were rewarded with a week-long holiday to a destination of their

choice. Hardeep added: "We decided as a group to go to Ibiza. It was a unanimous decision!"

The tournament was broken down into morning and afternoon rounds, where the top two from each of the 64 groups advanced into the knockout stages.

Another side from Milton Keynes also participated in the competition, but the B team failed to progress beyond the group stage.

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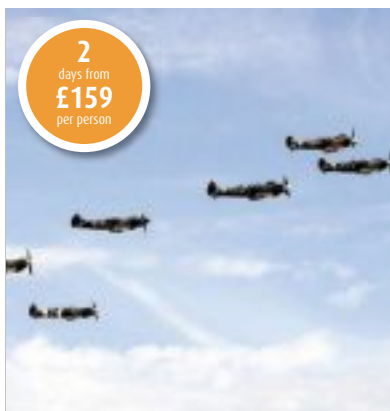
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**Banging the drum for MK's different cultures:**  
Performance group Kinetika Bloco, who will be taking part in the Art in the Park Festival

# Join festival parade

BY JACK ASH

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**SCHOOLCHILDREN and a performance group will be leading a colourful procession through the city centre later this month.**

The Walk to the Park parade will kick-start this year's Art in the Park festival and will see London-based carnival group Kinetika Bloco showcasing their mix of brass, woodwind and steel pan players, drummers and dynamic dancers.

They will be accompanied by local schools and community groups supported by renowned MK outdoor arts company Festival Road as they walk to Campbell Park.

Pupils from Shenley Brook End Academy and Jubilee Wood Primary School are among those who have been working with local artist Maryam Smit and Festive Road on specially designed flags celebrating the diverse cultures of Milton Keynes.

These flags will be carried as part of the parade and displayed in Campbell Park for the duration of the festival.

Anouar Kassim, the festival organiser, said: "This is a really exciting development for our festival – bringing different Milton Keynes communities together and celebrating our diverse cultures."

"Everybody is welcome to

join us on our Walk to the Park."

The parade will begin at the Church of Christ the Cornerstone at 1.30pm on Saturday, July 18 passing along Midsummer Boulevard and arriving in Campbell Park at 2.30pm, where the participants will be greeted by Francesca Skelton, High Sheriff of Buckinghamshire, and MK mayor Keith McLean.

The weekend-long festival, organised by Milton Keynes Islamic Arts and Heritage Culture (MKIAC) and supported by MK NEWS and MKWeb, will also feature cooking and photography competitions, live music and performances.

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# Dinajpur

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When the Dinajpur restaurant received a call from the legendary Kevin Keegan's PR requesting a reservation for a table for two, it's unsurprising that they thought it was some sort of prank. However, true to his word, Mr Keegan and his wife made their Monday evening reservation which just happened to be the same evening that the Dinajpur's brand new menu was being launched. Naturally, all the staff were stunned to have such a football legend in their presence, with the manager even placing his serving Mr Keegan as one of his biggest achievements in his career.

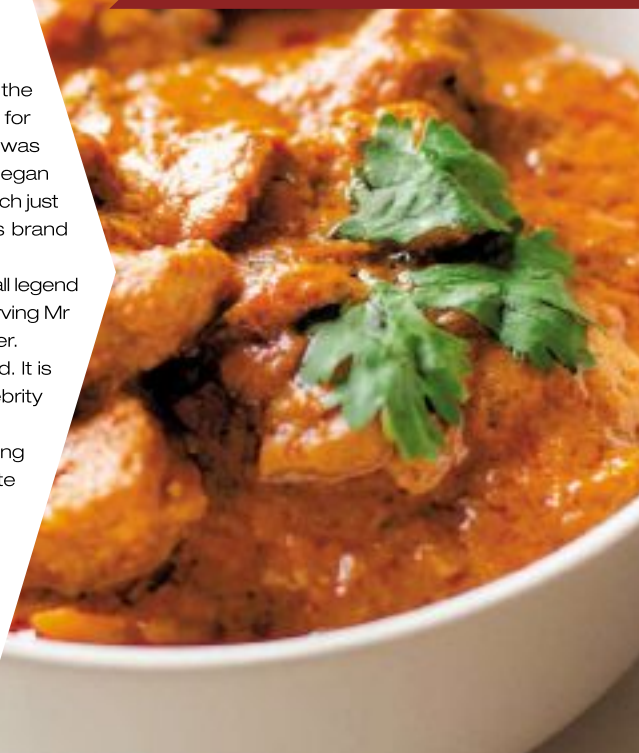
The pair opted for King Prawns and a Shashlik from the menu, which they thoroughly enjoyed. It is a clear testament of what a great restaurant Dinajpur is, when such a well travelled celebrity chooses to dine here, out of all the restaurants he could choose from, he chose Dinajpur!

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# MKBUSINESS

## Toy business bears fruit

BY SARAH LEE

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**A CITY business is giving you the chance to cherish your precious memories forever.**

Home-based teddy making business Little Bow Bears is the brainchild of mum-of-two Leehana George.

The 31-year-old from Westcroft creates one-of-a-kind memory bears made from clothes of relatives, babies or even pets.

Making an average of 10 bears a month, there is always an eager line of buyers waiting for her to post her latest designs on Facebook. Her creations have been shipped to Spain, New Zealand and New York and as her designs increase, so too does demand.

"The memory bears are my most favourite and poignant designs," she said. "Giving someone a special gift made from items of a loved one so they can keep it forever is just so rewarding."

"The material for the bears often come from babygros, a baby's first blanket, wedding dresses or clothes of relatives."

"It allows people to hold on to precious memories."

Leehana began making bears, which cost £30, or £40 for a memory bear, in 2013 after having her second child.

She said: "The idea behind Little Bow Bears came when I had my second child – I was at home all day and became restless. I've always had a creative mind and being inspired by my mum, who used to make bears from mohair, I set up Little Bow Bears."

"The business is doing really well. But the best thing about it is the reactions I receive. No words can describe the feeling I get from helping someone hold on to special memories."



Making special memories: Leehana George, with some of her bears. They have been made using the clothes of loved ones

## Smart Moves has top tips for people on hunt for jobs

SMART Moves Recruitment, one of the leading recruiters in Milton Keynes, has told MK NEWS it is proud to be a part of a 'vibrant and modern city, full of exciting companies who offer a wealth of opportunities for job seekers at all levels'.

Based in Silbury Boulevard, Smart Moves Recruitment is dedicated to helping the people of Milton Keynes find their perfect job.

Lucky for you, the company has joined forces with MK NEWS to offer top tips for finding employment.

Its latest advice on finding your dream job is:

- Prepare, plan and create an honest, concise and engaging CV.

- Only apply for roles you are genuinely interested in and feel suit your career aspirations.

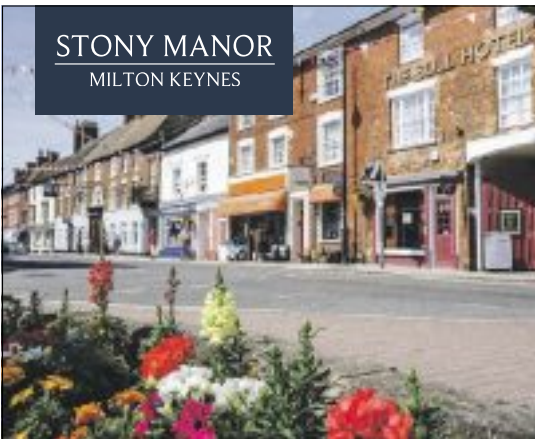
- When making an application, take the time to stand out from the crowd.

- Research and prepare fully for an interview. Any company that invites you to meet them will expect you to know their business.

- Being prepared for an interview will give you confidence, so look smart, smile and remember a firm handshake.

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## MKBUSINESS

# City is top for service sector

BY SARAH LEE

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**A STUDY has found more jobs have been created within the service sector in Milton Keynes over the last 30 years than anywhere else in the country.**

Royal Mail commissioned a study into the changing employment characteristics of communities across England, Wales and Scotland through the decades.

The study gives insight into the local areas which have seen the most growth in employment in the services and production sectors since the 1980s.

It also reveals that Milton Keynes has seen the most services sector employment growth in the last 30 years – with an additional 95,000 people employed in the sector, a 334 per cent increase.

The service sector covers a wide range of trades, including the retail sector, finance and insurance, transportation and storage, hotels and restaurants, professional, scientific and technical activities, IT, the media and public services including education and health.

Geoff Snelson, director of strategy at Milton Keynes Council, said: "Milton Keynes was designed to grow and its good supply of affordable city centre office space and great location between London and Birmingham make it especially attractive to service industries."

"The city is second only to London in the UK for business start-ups so looks set for continued strong jobs growth into the future."

This result comes after John Lewis' recent recruitment drive for more than 200 jobs at its national dis-

tribution centres in Magna Park.

Terry Murphy, director of national distribution centres at John Lewis, said: "As customers' shopping habits evolve so must our operational business model. Increasing our staff numbers will enable us to not only react and fulfil omnichannel shopping experiences, but also provide a better service to our shops and customers."

Paul Ashby, owner of independent coffee shop Bogota, said: "Milton Keynes is definitely a magnet for service sector jobs. It's extremely busy with new stores and restaurants opening up all the time."

"With three stores in Milton Keynes, we receive tons of job applications every week. It's clear that the demand for this kind of role is increasing in our city."



Exciting addition: Danish chain Tiger has opened its latest branch in Central Milton Keynes

## Tiger roars into centre:mk

THE centre:mk has made room for two new exciting stores.

The shopping centre has added Danish homeware and accessories chain Tiger to its long list of stores. It is trading over two floors in a store situated in Eagle Walk, next to John Lewis and the new concept Clarks store.

The news follows Cath Kidston, The White Company and Jigsaw all opening

regional flagships at the centre:mk in the last six months.

Phillip Bier, managing director of Tiger Retail, said: "Opening at the centre:mk forms a key part of our UK strategy and expansion. We are excited to position the brand in such a busy destination and grow our customer base via the extensive and affluent reach of the centre:mk's catchment."

But the excitement doesn't stop there. In early autumn this year, Australian children's stationary brand, Smiggle, will also be opening a new store at the centre:mk.

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# Hundreds flock to MKEX

BY SARAH LEE

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**HUNDREDS** of people flocked to stadiummk to visit a range of techno-innovated businesses on show at the first MKEX Technology Exhibition.

Opened by Mayor of Milton Keynes Keith McLean, the exhibition was a day of events, demonstrations and talks by the likes of ITV, Xero, MK Smart and MK Job Show.

MKEX has developed out of the Milton Keynes Exhibition, however, this time around the organisers were inspired by a new phase in the growth of Milton Keynes to focus on technology.

Organiser Peter Barnett said: "We're still buzzing from an amazing day – the first national technology exhibition held in Milton Keynes has proved, without a shadow of doubt, that it is a leading city for technology businesses.

"The variety among more than 60 exhibitors showed that we can attract technology businesses from around the country to gain real momentum in becoming a strategically vital tech hub.

"The reaction has proved that we have a winning formula and we will be hosting MKEX Technology Exhibition again in June 2016."



**Taking part: The Smart Recruit Online Events Team at the MKEX event. From left to right, Christine Rand, Tony O'Driscoll, Jane Peters and Carl McDonald**

Speaking at the event, which took place last Wednesday, Ingrid Wrathall, business manager for ITV, said: "We are here to promote our digital offering for viewers – so this means our on demand, online and other technology-based outlets such as digital newsletters and so on.

"This is our first time at an event like this and we've received an enthusiastic response from the people here in

Milton Keynes."

Simon Avery, general manager of indoor golf simulator iPlayGolf based in Newport Pagnell, added: "This event has been great for promoting our technology and entertainment based business."

Meanwhile, student and business innovators were recognised in the Biztech BrightSparc Awards that took place at MKEX. The awards, exclusively for the

South East Midlands Local Enterprise Partnership region, aimed to put the spotlight on businesses, students and academics who capitalise on moments of inspiration.

Award winners included MK College, which won Best Academic Lead Collaboration, and Milton Keynes-based SignTech paperless solutions, which picked up Best Innovative Use of Technology For Business.

## Does your company have magic touch?

MILTON Keynes Theatre (MKT), in association with MK NEWS and MKWeb, is offering businesses an unrivalled opportunity to raise their profile alongside this year's pantomime.

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£1m from 6.4.16. The tax penalty on exceeding this limit is high. So make sure you are not in danger of exceeding this limit.

3. Make sure you can live on your non-pension assets
4. When you die you want to minimise your non-pension assets above the tax free £325K Nil Rate Band (£650K for married couples). You could use savings and investments to generate income rather than your pension.

Consider giving away assets

If your pension is well funded and you have sufficient non-pension income to live on, think of reducing IHT by giving assets away. This will reduce your IHT further.

5. Consider Inheritance Tax efficient investments

Some investments become 100% Inheritance Tax free after 2 years because they qualify for a tax relief known as Business Property Relief. You need to take advice on these investments because they are high risk.

6. Write a will

It is vitally important to at least draft a will. You should regularly review and update your pension death benefits nomination too.

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### Unit 6B Bushmead Centre, Luton

- Ideal for coffee shop, barbers, nails, beauty etc
- Anchored by Co-operative
- Dominant local centre
- Large free shopper car park
- 6b is 674 sq ft



### Unit 5, Exchange House,

- A1/A2/A3 Unit
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- South facing outside seating area
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### Coffee shop/Cafe unit, CMK

- To let for Coffee Shop/Sandwich Bar
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### Unit 20 Netherfield

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- Dominant local centre in south MK
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### 452/454 Midsummer Blvd, MK9 2EA

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### 599 Avebury Blvd, 599 Avebury Blvd

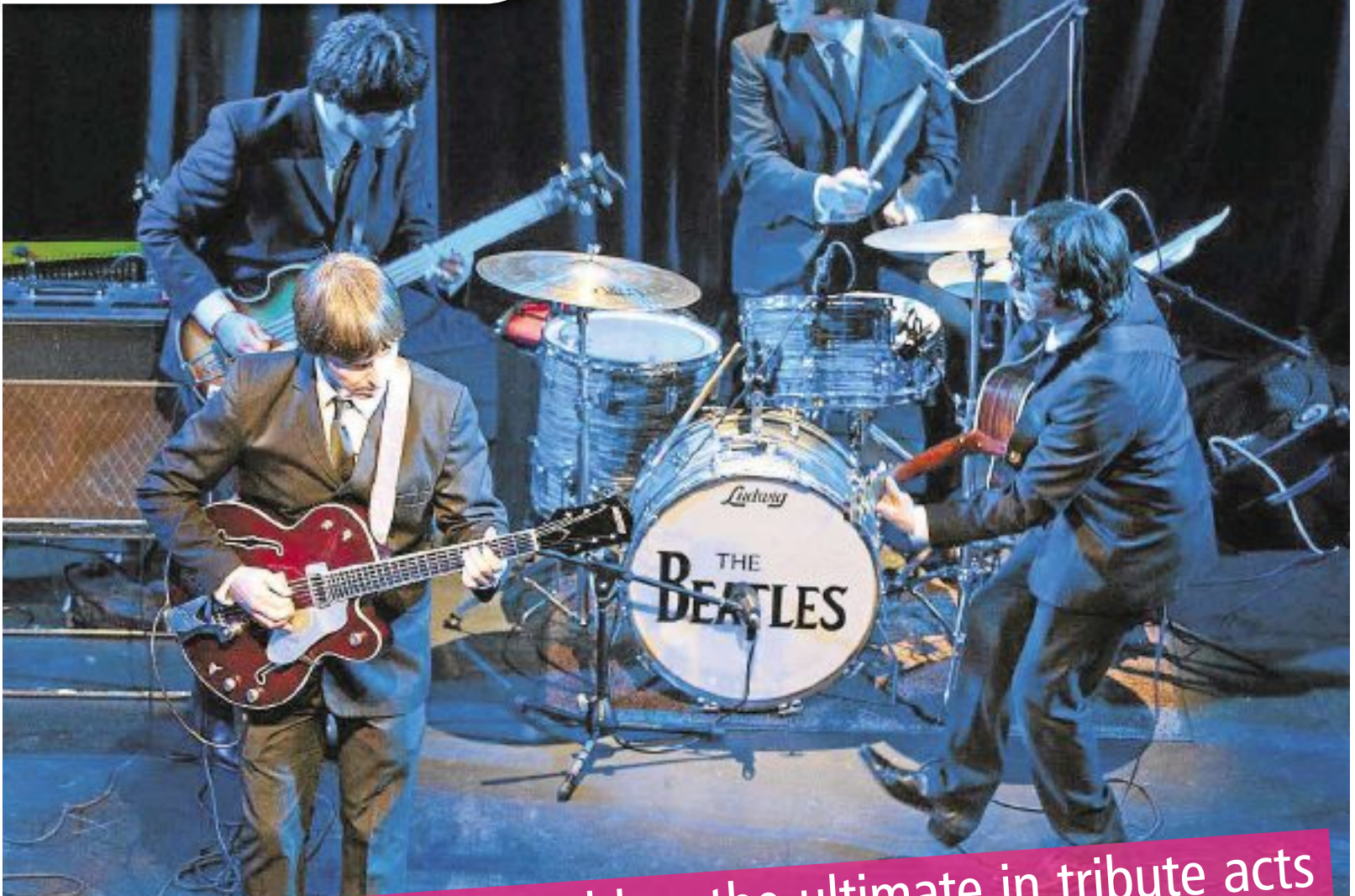
- Self Contained office building
- 1st and 2nd floors available
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### Unit 10, The Food Centre

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- A1 unit
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## It's In The Square festival has the ultimate in tribute acts

**ONE** of the UK's top Beatles tribute bands, **Ultimate Beatles**, is bringing their fantastic tribute show to Wolverton's annual **It's In The Square** outdoor festival on Sunday.

The band, which was formed in London in 2001, has been thrilling audiences all over the world with their accurate recreation of a live Beatles concert. They have headlined festivals, performed at

countless clubs, parties and corporate dos and entertained celebrities such as actress Anna Friel, sports stars Phil Tufnell, Ian Botham and Denise Lewis, Channel 4 newsreader Krishnan Guru Murthy and MPs Jeremy Hunt and Zac Goldsmith.

In 2013, the band performed live on BBC1's *The One Show* in front of an audience of four million, alongside comedian Ronnie Corbett and

ex-Spice Girl Mel C. Their musical journey has taken them to France, Latvia and even Beirut.

Grant Van Finkle, who plays the role of John Lennon, moved to Wolverton in 2004.

Touring for more than 10 years, Ultimate Beatles look the part as well as sounding great.

They use the same instruments the Beatles used, wear accurate costumes and even emulate the Beatles' cheeky Liverpudlian wit and

personalities. Close your eyes and you'd think you were hearing the real thing.

*It's In The Square* takes place in The Square, Wolverton, from noon and is free to attend. There will be two stages, with lots of acts and various refreshment stalls.

Ultimate Beatles will take to the stage at 6pm. They will also bring the festival to a close with another performance at 8pm.

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### Saturday 4 July, 8pm WATERLOO: THE BEST OF ABBA TRIBUTE

Enjoy a night of Abba classics  
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### Tuesday 7 July, 8pm STRAY

Del Bonham's band makes a welcome return to The Stables  
**Tickets £14.50**

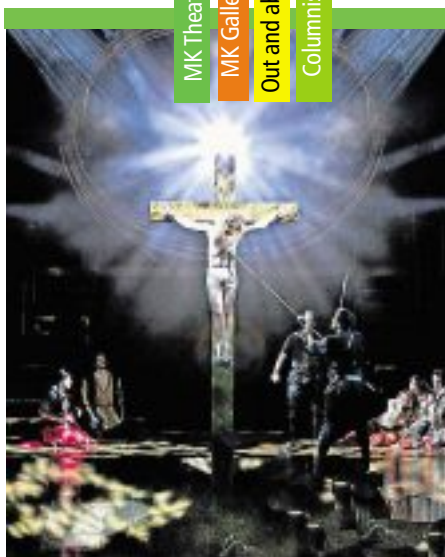


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## superstarshow

### JESUS Christ Superstar begins a week-long run of shows on Monday.

It was 1971 when the show first burst onto the scene and Tim Rice and Andrew Lloyd Webber's production has been performed solidly since that opening day.

I Don't Know How to Love Him, Everything's Alright, Gethsemane and, of course, Superstar are among the songs that will be sung.

Glenn Carter will play Jesus and Tim Rogers plays Judas. X Factor finalist Rachel Adedeji will play the role of Mary Magdalene.

The show at Milton Keynes Theatre starts at 7.30pm every day, with matinee performances at 2.30pm on Wednesday and Saturday.

Tickets cost between £17.90 and £48.90. To book visit [www.atgtickets.com/miltonkeynes](http://www.atgtickets.com/miltonkeynes)

mkcalling

### A MAJOR new exhibition starts at MK Gallery on Friday and will run for two months.

MK Calling presents the work of almost 70 artists, musicians and performers from Milton Keynes.

The aim of the event is to explore how inspired and creative people in the city can be.

There will be a special preview for the event tomorrow from 6-10pm.

Everybody is welcome to the preview and the exhibition, which are both free to attend.

MK Calling first took place two years ago and was a massive success – so much so that a third of the exhibitors from then are back this year.

There are more artists than performers this year and work from talented amateurs will also feature among more prominent names.



## the fallen

### A LARGE-SCALE commemorative dance performance will take place at MK Rose in Campbell Park on Sunday to remember all those who lost their lives in the First World War.

More than 500 banners have been created and 100 dancers of all ages and abilities will be gracing the Rose during To The Fallen.

The themes followed are communication between families, the role of nurses, captivity and soldiers' lives and international partnerships.

The event is free and the two dance performances take place at 3pm and 5pm.



## followtrail

### LOUGHTON will be taken over by 60 scarecrows this weekend.

Each of the entries to this year's Loughton Scarecrow Trail represent a book, film or play.

Guides for the trail can be bought from All Saints' Church on Saturday from 10am to 5pm, Sunday from 11am to 5pm and next Wednesday from noon to 2pm. They will also be available on Saturday, July 11 from 10am to 5pm. Tea and cakes will be available from 2-5pm at the weekend.

The trail ends with a Scarecrows' Supper, plus a Gifts and Promises Auction on the evening of July 11.

### AS SUMMER approaches the weather quickly warms up.

Dogs and other pet animals may struggle in high temperatures as they are unable to cool down quickly through sweating, rendering them vulnerable to overheating.

Despite publicity campaigns in recent years, dogs still die in hot cars every summer or succumb to heatstroke as a result of over-exertion on walks.

And day trips can be a particular problem in short-nosed dogs and older animals.

To combat these problems The British Veterinary Association has recommend seven simple

steps to prevent heat stress in animals.

1. Don't leave dogs in vehicles or conservatories.

2. Make sure they always have water to drink.

3. Provide ventilation at all times to prevent the temperature rising.

4. Avoid exercising dogs in the heat of the day.

5. Provide shade from the sun in the hottest part of the day.

6. Watch out for early signs of heatstroke, such as heavy panting and profuse salivation.

7. Contact a vet immediately if the animal does not respond to efforts to cool it down.



MK LIFE's animal expert AMY CONVERSE from Vets4Pets in Bletchley tells readers how to look after their four-legged friends as temperatures rise



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## meatyprize

**BEEFEATER is celebrating its new delicious garden menu by giving five lucky readers the chance to win a £50 voucher for food and drink.**

The nation's favourite casual steak dining restaurant offers some great food in the great outdoors – including the Beef-eater 6oz flat iron steak – and has added four new mouth-watering burgers to its range.

These include the mega double bacon and cheese steak burger, which is a must for any meat lover, incorporating a

1/4lb steak burger with streaky bacon and Monterey Jack cheese.

Beefeater is also now offering unlimited skinny or triple cooked chips with any meal – meaning that even the hungriest of eaters will be satisfied!

As if the above was not enough, guests can also accompany their meals with lip-smacking milkshakes in five different flavours, including the limited edition strawberry and clotted cream flavour, bringing a side of sunshine to any meal.

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## abbatribute

**WATERLOO – The Best of Abba tribute show will take place at The Stables on Saturday from 8pm.**

This new show celebrates the music of one of the best-selling music artists of all time, Abba.

The Swedish pop group swept to superstardom with their Eurovision-winning Waterloo in 1974 and four decades later the song and the band remain as popular as ever.

Now the phenomenal new tribute show Waterloo looks back at the sensational rise to stardom of Agnetha, Bjorn, Benny and Anni-Frid and gives fans the opportunity to experience the thrill of a live Abba show.

To buy tickets, which cost £21, call 01908 280800.

## funnyshow

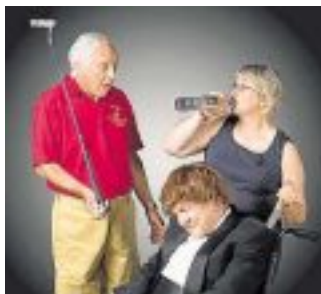
**FAIRWAY to Heaven runs to the Chrysalis Theatre tomorrow and Friday and a hilarious farce is what you can expect from your evening's entertainment.**

When Trevor breaks a priceless artefact belonging to his wife, he enlists one of his friends to stage a fake burglary.

Unfortunately for Trevor, real burglars are targeting the house and his mother-in-law is also staging a murder mystery evening. Let the farce ensue!

Tread The Board is the production company behind the show, which has been written by Diana Raffle, so expect plenty of laughs.

The show starts at 7.30pm and tickets cost £10 for adults and £8 for concessions from [www.ticketsource.co.uk](http://www.ticketsource.co.uk)



## thebeach

**THE beach returns to Milton Keynes this summer.**

With the country in the grip of a heatwave and the summer holidays fast approaching, the centre:mk is delighted to announce the return of this family favourite.

Now in its sixth year, the beach will once again see Middleton Hall transformed into MK's very own seaside resort complete with a sandy beach and deck chairs.

Shaun Rhodes, head of marketing at the centre:mk, said: "We are delighted to welcome the beach back to centre:mk. It takes over 100 tonnes of sand to transform Middleton Hall into a piece of the seaside."

The beach will be open daily from Saturday until August 31. Entry to the beach is free.





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**KIDS TALK is a guide for the Summer Holidays packed with lots of fun activities for children and their families.**

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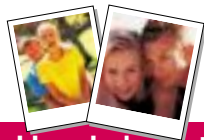
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**JOANNE**, 41, stunning blonde, feels life is for living looking for her Mr. Right, 45-55, who can make her feel special. Tel No: 0906 515 4426 Box No: 417221

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**SAMANTHA**, 30, attractive, outgoing with blonde spiky hair, green eyes, lonely, romantic and is in need of some male company. Age/looks unimportant. Tel No: 0906 515 4426 Box No: 417209

**JANE** 40's, beautiful slim blonde with blue eyes, friendly and eager to please searching for fun and romance with tall, attractive, slim man. Tel No: 0906 515 4426 Box No: 416859

**JANICE** 39, voluptuous, bubbly, long black hair, green eyes, beautiful, confident, seeks tall hunky guy for fun times/maybe more. Age/status unimportant. Tel No: 0906 515 4426 Box No: 416799

**HAYLEY** 38, happy go lucky blue-eyed blonde, just wants to make someone happy seeks similar kind male for a loving relationship. Tel No: 0906 515 4426 Box No: 417089

**AMANDA**, 41, curvy brunette wanting to try love again looking for special, outgoing male to end bored and lonely evenings. Tel No: 0906 515 4426 Box No: 417055

**JANE** 40's, beautiful slim blonde with blue eyes, friendly and eager to please searching for fun and romance with tall, attractive, slim man. Tel No: 0906 515 4426 Box No: 416859

**FEMALE**, 50, lonely but lovely, long dark hair, needs tic, no strings. Text only 4665176

**LYN** 41, beautiful blonde, sexy green eyes, wicked and vivacious, seeks tall well-built male to share wine, lots of laughter and naughtiness! Tel No: 0906 515 4426 Box No: 416679

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**ANGIE** attractive nurse 39yrs, new to area/advertising, likes dog walking, being sociable, meals in/out, WLTm honest, fun male for possible ltr. looks unimportant. Tel No: 0906 515 4426 Box No: 415827

**LISA** attractive petite Filipino female, very lonely, wanting to find love, companionship and to be happy, looking for friendship and more. Tel No: 0906 515 4426 Box No: 415549

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Wednesday, July 1, 2015



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Nearby is Willen Lake with its

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In brief the property comprises an entrance hall, downstairs cloakroom, utility room, study/

bedroom four and family room/bedroom five on the ground floor.

To the first floor there is a lounge and kitchen/diner, while the second floor features a master bedroom with a dressing room and en-suite, bedrooms two and three and a bathroom.

Outside there is a carport with electric timber gates, as well as front and rear gardens.

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## What Your Agent Has To Say

### Appeal of auctioning property on the up

Auction House has yet again had another impressive auction this year, selling one lot, which was a parcel of land and unused buildings, for over £100,000 above the guide price.

In a market where stock levels are at the lowest level since records begin in 1978 (reported by the Royal Institution of Chartered Surveyors (RICS) this week), Auction House is reporting that entries for the group's June auctions has seen a year-on-year increase of over 50%.

Demand has improved across all property types and in most areas of the country. There are 375 lots entered in Auction House sales in June

this year, compared to only 240 lots entered in Auction House sales in June 2014 – an increase of 56%.

Commenting on the figures, Charles Lovell, Auction Manager at Auction House Beds & Bucks said: "We are delighted with the success of our June auction. We've noticed a marked rise in the number of sellers choosing the auctions route, with our team experiencing the upswing at a time when estate agents are short of stock."

"This further underlines the growing appeal of the speed and certainty offered by auction, and the impressive prices that are being achieved through our sale-rooms across the UK."



**PRICE BOOST:** Cleavers Cottage and land went for more than £100,000 above guide price

#### Selection of June results

| Lot | Address                        | Guide Price | Status            |
|-----|--------------------------------|-------------|-------------------|
| 1   | Land at Abbey Lane, Amptill    | £140,000    | Sold for £208,000 |
| 2   | 15 Kempston Road, Bedford      | £180,000    | Sold for £210,000 |
| 3   | Land at Lavendon Road, Olney   | £45,000     | Sold for £84,000  |
| 4   | 94 Jersey Road, Wolverton      | £155,000    | Sold for £170,000 |
| 5   | Land and buildings, Stanbridge | £30,000     | Sold for £131,000 |
| 6   | Land, High Street, Dadford     | £20,000     | Sold for £32,000  |

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£700,000



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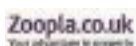
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**Bletchley £290,000**



**EPC C**

- Detached
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- Lounge
- Dining Room
- Kitchen
- Utility
- Four Bedrooms
- En-Suite To Master
- Family Bathroom
- Double Garage

**Caldecotte £390,000**

**NEW**



**EPC E**

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- Kitchen/Diner
- Utility Room
- Three Bedrooms
- Bathroom
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**Bletchley £289,995**



**EPC D**

- Four Bedrooms
- Lounge
- Dining Room
- P-Shaped Conservatory
- Study
- Kitchen/Breakfast
- Utility
- Downstairs Cloakroom
- En-Suite & Family Bathroom
- Double Garage

**Old Farm Park £425,000**

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**EPC C**

- Detached
- Downstairs Cloakroom
- Lounge
- Kitchen/Diner/Family Room
- Utility Room
- Four Bedrooms
- En-Suite To Master Bedroom
- Family Bathroom
- Single Garage
- Gardens

**Middleton £400,000**



**EPC C**

- Three Bedrooms
- Mid Terrace
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- Front and Rear
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- Kitchen/Diner
- Bathroom
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- No Above Chain

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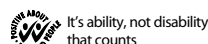
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Ref: 50020384

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Ref: 50020287

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Ref: 59002345

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**For informal enquiries (The Kitchen Centre) please contact Helena Newbold or Karen Mynard on 01234 713307.**

**For informal enquiries (Manor Road Day Centre) please contact Eileen Conlon on 01908 366874.**

**For informal enquiries (Redwood Day Centre) please contact Team Leader or Day Service Manager on 01908 254343.**

**Closing date: 12th July 2015**

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**For further details and an application form please contact Mrs N. Betchley on email [nbetchley@ardleyhill.org.uk](mailto:nbetchley@ardleyhill.org.uk)**

**Closing Date: 11th July 2015**

**Interview Date: w/c 13th July 2015**

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**Ref: 5119**

**Part time; 25 hours per week**

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For an informal discussion on either role please contact: Sue Dear on 0300 300 6665 or email [sue.dear@centralbedfordshire.gov.uk](mailto:sue.dear@centralbedfordshire.gov.uk)

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Closing Date: 13th July 2015, Noon

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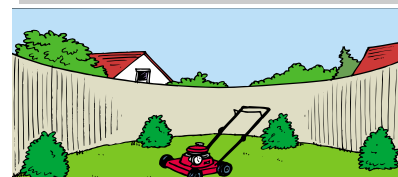
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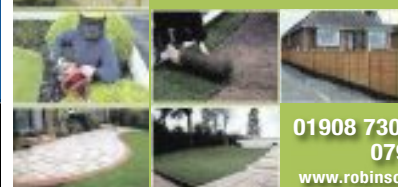
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**THE COUNCIL OF THE BOROUGH OF MILTON KEYNES  
(PARTS OF A421, STANDING WAY (H8), GROVEWAY (H9)  
AND A5130 NEWPORT ROAD, MILTON KEYNES)  
(40 MPH AND 60 MPH SPEED RESTRICTIONS) ORDER 2015**

**THE COUNCIL OF THE BOROUGH OF MILTON KEYNES (THE COUNCIL OF THE BOROUGH OF MILTON KEYNES) (VARIOUS ROADS WITHIN MILTON KEYNES) (DERESTRICTION) ORDER 2004) VARIATION ORDER 2015**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Council of the Borough of Milton Keynes proposes to make two Orders under Section 84 the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984. The proposed Orders will affect all classes of vehicles and have the following effect along parts of roads in Central Milton Keynes:-

The introduction of 40 mph speed restrictions along the following lengths of road in Milton Keynes:-

- A421 from its junction with Kingston Roundabout (including the circumference Kingston Roundabout), for a distance of 180 metres in an easterly direction
- H8 Standing Way from its junction with Kingston Roundabout, for a distance of 180 metres in a westerly direction
- H9 Groveway from its junction with Kingston Roundabout, for a distance of 180 metres in a south-westerly direction
- A5130 Newport Road from its junction with Kingston Roundabout to a point 200 metres north of its junction with Lower End Road

The introduction of 60 mph speed restrictions along the following lengths of road in Milton Keynes:-

- A421 from a point 180 metres east of its junction with Kingston Roundabout (including the circumference of Fen Roundabout and Eagle Roundabout) to a point 400 metres west of the Milton Keynes and Bedfordshire boundary
- H8 Standing Way from a point 180 metres east of its junction with Brinklow Roundabout to a point 180 metres west of its junction with Kingston Roundabout

A copy of the proposed Order together with a map showing the areas referred to along with a statement of reason for proposing the Orders, may be inspected during opening hours at Milton Keynes Library, 555 Silbury Boulevard, Central Milton Keynes and Kingston Library, 11 Winchester Circle, Kingston and during normal office hours at Milton Keynes Council, Civic Offices, 1 Saxon Gate East, Milton Keynes.

Any objections to the proposal, together with the grounds on which they are made, must be made in writing and sent to the Network TRO Officer, Highways Department, Public Realm Services Group, Synergy Park, Chesney Wold, Bleak Hall, Milton Keynes, MK6 1LY to be received no later than 22nd July 2015 quoting reference PH-584-TRO-095

**THE COUNCIL OF THE BOROUGH OF MILTON KEYNES  
(VARIOUS ROADS, BRADWELL COMMON) (PROHIBITION OF WAITING AND LOADING) ORDER 2013) VARIATION ORDER 2015**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Council of the Borough of Milton Keynes proposes to make an Order under the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984. The proposed Order will affect all classes of vehicles and have the following effect:-

- The introduction of 'No Waiting at Any Time' restrictions along parts of Bradwell Common Boulevard and Brill Place;

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**THE COUNCIL OF THE BOROUGH OF MILTON KEYNES  
(VARIOUS ROADS WITHIN BLEAK HALL, FURZTON, KNOWHILL, LEADENHALL  
AND SHENLEY LODGE, PARTS OF CHAFFRON WAY (H7), WATLING STREET (V4)  
AND GRAFTON STREET (V6) PART OF REDWAY/NATIONAL CYCLE ROUTE 51,  
AND PART OF BRIDLEWAY NUMBER 32 IN THE VICINITY OF THE BOWL, LOUGHTON AND  
KNOWHILL) (TEMPORARY RESTRICTIONS) ORDER 2015**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Council of the Borough of Milton Keynes, with the consent of the Highways Agency, intends not later than seven days from the date of this notice make an order under Section 14(1) (b) and 14 (4) of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984, because of the likelihood of danger to the public and in the interests of safety and as a means of segregating traffic from pedestrians during the musical event namely The Electric Daisy Carnival being staged at The Bowl, Milton Keynes (hereinafter referred to as 'The Bowl'). It is anticipated that the following restrictions will be in effect on the dates and at the times shown below and when indicated by the appropriate traffic signs, between Saturday 11th July 2015 and Sunday 12th July 2015 at the times stated.

To temporarily prohibit waiting in the following lengths of road between 6.00am on Saturday 11th July 2015 and 1:30am on Sunday 12th July 2015:-

- Watling Street (V4) from its junction with Childs Way (H6) to its junction with Standing Way (H8);
- Chaffron Way (H7) from its junction with Fulmers Street (V3) to its junction with Grafton Street (V6);
- Grafton Street (V6) from its junction with Childs Way (H6) to its junction with Chaffron Way (H7);
- The entire lengths of all roads within Knowhill;
- Shirwell Crescent, Furzton its entire length;
- Rutherford Gate, Shenley Lodge its entire length;
- Faraday Drive, Shenley Lodge its entire length;
- Favell Drive, Furzton its entire length;
- Billbrook Lane, Furzton its entire length;
- Phoenix Drive, Leadenhall its entire length;
- Summerson Road, Bleak Hall its entire length;
- Chesney Wold, Bleak Hall (north-east side) its entire length;
- Leadenhall Roundabout, including both carriageways and verges on the V6 Grafton Street for a distance of approximately 300 metres either side of roundabout and both carriageways and verges on Childs Way (H6) for a distance of approximately 300 metres either side of South Grafton Roundabout.
- South Grafton Roundabout, including both carriageways and verges on the V6 Grafton Street for a distance of approximately 300 metres either side of the roundabout and both carriageways and verges on Childs Way (H6) for a distance of approximately 300 metres either side of South Grafton Roundabout.

To temporarily prohibit all access along the following length of redway/National Cycle Route (except for access to and egress from The Bowl and police horses) between 8.00am on Saturday 11th July 2015 and 1:30am on Sunday 12th July 2015:-

- The redway/National Cycle Route 51, The Bowl, Milton Keynes, from a point approximately 60 metres north-west of the underpass beneath H7 Chaffron Way to its junction with V4 Watling Street.

The alternative route will be via the redway which runs parallel with Davy Avenue and Kelvin Drive, Knowhill to rejoin the redway beside the V4 Watling Street and vice versa.

To temporarily prohibit all access along the following length of Bridleway (except for police horses) between 8.00am on Saturday 11th July 2015 and 1:30am on Sunday 12th July 2015:-

- Bridleway 32 Loughton from a point where it meets the bridge over Watling Street (V4) to a point approximately 300 metres north-west from the underpass under Chaffron Way (H7) to where the bridleway crosses National Cycle Route 51.

To temporarily prohibit all vehicles from entering, waiting and proceeding along the following lengths of road (except for access for event parking) between 10.00am on Saturday 11th July 2015 and 9:00pm on Sunday 12th July 2015:-

- Chaffron Way (H7) from its junction with Grafton Street (V6) and continues to its junction with Fulmer Street (V3);
- Watling Street (V4) from its junction with Childs Way (H6) to its junction with Standing Way (H8).

To temporarily prohibit all vehicles from entering, waiting and proceeding along the following lengths of road between 10.00am on Saturday 11th July 2015 and 1:30pm on Sunday 12th July 2015:-

- Pear Tree Lane, Bleak Hall from its junction with Chesney Wold and continues for a distance of approximately 320 metres in a south-westerly direction;
- Davy Avenue, Knowhill from its junction with Chaffron Way (H7) to its junction with Kelvin Drive

To temporarily prohibit all vehicles from entering, waiting and proceeding along the following lengths of road (except for buses and licensed hackney carriages in connection with the event, authorised event vehicles and vehicles authorised by Milton Keynes Council and to gain access to and egress from premises) between 10.00am on Saturday 11th July 2015 and 1:30pm on Sunday 12th July 2015:-

- Summerson Road, Bleak Hall;
- Chesney Wold, Bleak Hall.

To temporarily prohibit all vehicles from turning (except for buses and licensed hackney carriages in connection with the event, authorised event vehicles and vehicles authorised by Milton Keynes Council and to gain access to and egress from premises) between 10.00am on Saturday 11th July 2015 and 1:30pm on Sunday 12th July 2015:-

- left into Summerson Road from Chesney Wold, Bleak Hall;
- right into Chesney Wold, Bleak Hall from Grafton Street (V6)

To impose temporary 30mph speed limit restrictions along the following lengths of road between 10.00am on Saturday 11th July 2015 and 1:30pm on Sunday 12th July 2015:-

- Chaffron Way (H7) between its junctions with Fulmer Street (V3) and Grafton Street (V6);
- Watling Street (V4) between its junctions with Childs Way (H6) and Standing Way (H8).

To impose a one-way traffic system along the following lengths of road between 10.00am on Saturday 11th July 2015 and 1:30pm on Sunday 12th July 2015:-

- Chesney Wold, Bleak Hall from its junction with Summerson Road to its junction with Grafton Street (V6) operating in a north-easterly and north-easterly direction;
- Summerson Road, Bleak Hall operating in a south-westerly direction.

There will be no entry for vehicles into Chesney Wold from Grafton Street (V6), (the northern end), and traffic will only be permitted to travel south-westerly in Summerson Road from its junction with Grafton Street (V6) and north-westerly and north-easterly in Chesney Wold to rejoin Grafton Street (V6) at the northern end.

To temporarily allow parking for Hackney Carriage Stands along the following lengths of road between 10.00am on Saturday 11th July 2015 and 1:30pm on Sunday 12th July 2015:-

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- Chesney Wold, Bleak Hall (south-west side) from a point 20 metres south-east of the centreline of its junction with the access road that leads to Elfield Park, continuing for a distance of 70 metres in a south-easterly direction

To temporarily prohibit all vehicles from entering, waiting and proceeding along the following lengths of road between 9.00pm on Saturday 11th July 2015 and 1:30am on Sunday 12th July 2015:-

- Chaffron Way (H7) from its junction with Grafton Street (V6) and continues to its junction with Fulmer Street (V3);
- Watling Street (V4) from its junction with Childs Way (H6) to its junction with Standing Way (H8);
- Billbrook Lane, Furzton its entire length;
- To temporarily prohibit all vehicles from turning (except for buses) between 9.00pm on Saturday 11th July 2015 and 1:30am on Sunday 12th July 2015:-
- right onto Childs Way (H6) from Davy Avenue, Knowhill;
- right onto Childs Way (H6) from Ashpole Furlong, Loughton
- left onto Childs Way (H6) from Ashpole Furlong, Loughton
- right into Watling Street (V4) from Faraday Drive, Shenley Lodge;
- left onto Watling Street (V4) from Favell Drive, Furzton;
- right onto Watling Street (V4) from Kelvin Drive, Knowhill
- right onto Watling Street (V4) from Roebuck Way, Knowhill
- right onto Chaffron Way (H7) from Shirwell Crescent, Furzton
- right onto Chaffron Way (H7) from Rutherford Gate, Shenley Lodge

The alternative routes whilst those parts of Chaffron Way (H7) and Watling Street (V4) are closed will be via Grafton Street (V6), Childs Way (H6), Fulmer Street (V3) and Standing Way (H8).

Police officers will be in attendance until the event finishes. They may vary, extend or alter the times of operation of the above restrictions should any unforeseen circumstances arise which might compromise the safety of the public.

The proposed Order will come into operation at 6.00am on Saturday 11th July 2015 and the restrictions will be in force on the dates and at the times shown above and when indicated by the appropriate traffic signs.

Any person committing a breach of any movement restrictions of the Order shall be liable upon prosecution to such fine as prescribed by the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984. Any person committing a breach of any waiting restrictions of the Order shall be liable upon issue of such penalty charge as prescribed by Part 6 of the Traffic Management Act 2004.

You can view the road closures and diversion routes at [www.roadworks.org](http://www.roadworks.org).

**THE COUNCIL OF THE BOROUGH OF MILTON KEYNES  
(BRIDGE STREET, CHURCH STREET, NEWPORT ROAD, OLD NEWPORT  
ROAD (SLIP ROAD), CORNER PIN, THOMPSON STREET, HARWOOD STREET, BRADWELL  
ROAD AND HIGH STREET, NEW BRADWELL)  
(TEMPORARY CLOSURE) ORDER 2015**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Council of the Borough of Milton Keynes intends to make an order under section 21 of the Town Police Clauses Act 1847 for the purpose of preventing obstruction in the above roads whilst the annual New Bradwell Combined School Carnival Procession takes place. The temporary closure will be in operation between the hours of 12.00 pm and 1.00 pm on Saturday 11 July 2015 and its effects will be as follows:-

No vehicles shall be permitted to proceed along that part of Bridge Street from its junction with New Bradwell Combined School to its junction with Church Street, along Church Street from its junction with Bridge Street to its junction with Newport Road, along Newport Road from its junction with Church Street to its junction with Thompson Street, along Thompson Street from its junction with Newport Road to its junction with Harwood Street, along Harwood Street from its junction with Thompson Street to its junction with Bradwell Road, along Bradwell Road from its junction with Harwood Street to its junction with High Street, along High Street from its junction with Bradwell Road to its junction with Church Street, along Church Street from its junction with High Street to its junction with Newport Road, along Newport Road from its junction with Church Street to its junction with Old Newport Road (slip road), along Old Newport Road around Corner Pin to its junction with Newport Road, along Newport Road to its junction with Church Street, along Church Street from its junction with Newport Road to its junction with Bridge Street and along Bridge Street ending at its junction with New Bradwell Combined School grounds.

All the above roads, with the exception of the said lengths of Newport Road and High Street, will re-open as soon as the procession has passed through them.

There will be no exemptions from the provisions of the proposed order except for emergency services vehicles and military vehicles, and those vehicles taking part in the New Bradwell Combined School Carnival Procession. Residents will be provided with access at all times.

The proposed order will affect all classes of vehicles.

Warning signs shall be erected at the entrances to those parts of the road to be closed, subject to the provisions of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984.

Any breach of the said Order could render a person liable to a fine not exceeding level 3 on the standard scale (currently £1,000).

**THE COUNCIL OF THE BOROUGH OF MILTON KEYNES  
(A509 (PART), OLNEY) (TEMPORARY 30 MPH SPEED LIMIT) ORDER 2015**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Council of the Borough of Milton Keynes has on 30th June 2015 made an Order under Section 14(4) of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984, the effect of which is to temporarily prohibit vehicles from proceeding along part of A509, Olney at a speed in excess of 30 mph, whilst the Olney Duck and Raft Race Event takes place, because of the likelihood of danger to the public. It is anticipated that the temporary speed restriction will be in effect from 12.30pm to 3.00pm, and the affected length of road is as follows:-

- A509 from a point 75 metres south-west of its junction with Lime Street, Olney, continuing for a distance of 450 metres in a south-westerly direction

There will be no exemptions from the provisions of the proposed order, other than for emergency services vehicles, and military vehicles whilst being driven on operational duties. The temporary speed restriction will be clearly signed in accordance with Chapter 8 of the Traffic Signs Manual.

The Order will come into operation at 6.00am on Sunday 5th July 2015 and the restrictions will be in force on the dates and at the times shown above and when indicated by the appropriate traffic signs.

Any person committing a breach of the proposed order will be liable upon prosecution to such fine as is prescribed by the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984.

**THE COUNCIL OF THE BOROUGH OF MILTON KEYNES  
(HILLIARD DRIVE, BRADWELL)  
(TEMPORARY FOOTPATH CLOSURE) ORDER 2015**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Council of the Borough of Milton Keynes intends, in not less than seven days from the date of this Notice, to make an Order under Section 14(1) of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984, the effect of which will be to temporarily prohibit any access to or along the footpath at Hilliard Drive in Bradwell in order to allow repair works to be carried out on a leaking atlas in the footpath.

The footpath will be closed on 13th July 2015 for a period of 3 days or until the said works have been completed, whichever is the sooner. Signs will be erected several days in advance to warn motorists of the dates and times.

The Council is satisfied that the temporary closure Order is necessary to enable maintenance works to be carried out along the footpath. The temporary Order will come into effect on 13th July 2015 and will expire on 15th July 2015 and will be indicated by the appropriate traffic signs, which will be erected in advance of any closure.

There will be no exemptions from the provisions of the proposed Order.

The closure will be clearly signed in accordance with Chapter 8 of the Traffic Signs Manual.

The temporary closure will be in force on the date shown when indicated by the appropriate traffic signs displayed along the affected footpath.

All affected properties will be notified of the forthcoming closures at least one week prior to works taking place.

Any person committing a breach of the order will be liable upon prosecution to such fine as is prescribed by the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984.

**(ROADS OR PARTS OF ROADS WITHIN BLETCHLEY, BRADVILLE, HODGE LEA,  
LAVENDON, OLNEY, SHERINGTON, WOBURN SANDS AND V7 SAXON STREET)  
(TEMPORARY CLOSURE) ORDER 2015**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Council of the Borough of Milton Keynes intends, in not less than seven days from the date of this Notice, to make an Order under Section 14(1) of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984, the effect of which will be to temporarily prohibit vehicles from entering, waiting or proceeding along the following length of road in order to allow maintenance and repair works to be carried out on the highway:-

The following lengths of road will be closed between 15th July 2015 and 21st July 2015 for a period of 1 day (between the hours of 09.30am and 16.30pm) or until the said works have been completed, whichever is the sooner. Signs will be erected several days in advance to warn motorists of the dates and times when the roads will be closed:-

- Dukes Drive, Central Blechley – at its junction with Viscount Way.
- The alternative route will be via Princes Way, North Street and Viscount Way (and vice versa). Controlled access to parts of Dukes Drive will be maintained throughout the closure
- Stanton Avenue, Bradville – Between Bradwell and Althorpe Crescent.
- No alternative route.
- Controlled access will be maintained throughout the closure
- Brookside, Hodge Lea – Between V5 Great Monk Street and Alladale Place.
- The alternative route will be via V5 Great Monk Street, H2 Millers Way, Hodge Lea Lane and Alladale Place (and vice versa).
- Controlled access to parts of Brookside and Calvie Croft will be maintained throughout the closure.
- Bedford Road, Lavendon – Between B565 and Olney Road.
- The alternative route will be via B565 and Olney Road (and vice versa).
- Controlled access to parts of Bedford Road will be maintained throughout the closure.
- High Street, Olney – Between Church Street and Weston Road.
- The alternative route for local traffic will be via Church Street, Conegreys, Palmers Road, Silver Street, Market Place and High Street (and vice versa).
- The alternative route for HGVs will be via A422 Newport Pagnell Road, A428, B565 and A509 and High Street (and vice versa).
- Controlled access to Church Street and parts of High Street will be maintained throughout the closure.
- Water Lane, Sherington – Outside Primrose Cottage.
- No alternative route.
- Controlled access will be maintained throughout the closure.
- Theydon Avenue, Woburn Sands – Between Station Road and Wood Street.
- The alternative route will be via Station Road, Chapel Street and Wood Street (and vice versa).
- V7 Saxon Street, Stantonbury/Bradville – Between H3 Monks Way and Purbeck, Stantonbury Campus.
- The alternative route will be via H3 Monks Way, V8 Marlborough Street and V7 Saxon Street (and vice versa).
- This closure will only be in effect between the hours of 09.30am and 14.30pm.

The Council is satisfied that the temporary closure Order is necessary to enable maintenance works to be carried out on the highway. The temporary Order will come into effect on 15th July 2015 and will expire on 15th October 2015 and will take effect at times during the above period only when maintenance or repair works are required and only when indicated by the appropriate traffic signs, which will be erected in advance of any closure.

There will be no exemptions from the provisions of the proposed Order except for controlled access to residential properties and emergency service vehicles on operational duties.

The closure will be clearly signed in accordance with Chapter 8 of the Traffic Signs Manual.

All affected properties will be notified of the forthcoming closures at least one week prior to works taking place.

The temporary closure will be in force on the date shown when indicated by the appropriate traffic signs displayed in the affected road.

Any person committing a breach of the order will be liable upon prosecution to such fine as is prescribed by the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984.

The forthcoming road closures can be viewed on [www.roadworks.org](http://www.roadworks.org).

**(VARIOUS REDWAYS OR PARTS OF REDWAYS WITHIN BRADWELL ABBEY,  
STACEY BUSHES, HODGE LEA, ABBEY HILL AND TWO MILE ASH AND THE ABBEY HILL  
FOOTPATH) (TEMPORARY CLOSURE) ORDER 2015**

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Council of the Borough of Milton Keynes has on 30th June 2015 made an Order under Section 14(1) of the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984, the effect of which will be to temporarily prohibit any access to or along the following lengths of redway in order for Power Connections to install two ducts from Bradwell Abbey distribution centre to the western expansion area Redlans development in order to provide power to the western flank of Milton Keynes:-

- That part of the redway in Bradwell Abbey that runs parallel to A422 Monks Way (H3) from its junction with Alston Drive to the subway that links Bradwell Abbey and Stacey Bushes;
- Whilst the above length of redway is closed the alternative pedestrian route will be via Heathfield and Erica Road, Stacey Bushes, the footpath that runs parallel to A422 Monks Way (H3), the redway that links A422 Monks Way (H3) and Alston Drive, Bradwell Abbey (and vice versa)
- That part of the redway in Stacey Bushes that runs adjacent to Heathfield from the subway that links Bradwell Abbey and Stacey Bushes to the subway that links Stacey Bushes and Hodge Lea;
- Whilst the above length of redway is closed the alternative pedestrian route will be via Heathfield (Two Mile Ash), the redway in Two Mile Ash that runs parallel to Millers Way (H2), Hodge Lea Lane and Alladale Place and the redway that runs parallel to Calve Croft (and vice versa)
- That part of the redway in Hodge Lea that runs parallel to Calve Croft from the subway that links Stacey Bushes and Hodge Lea to its junction with Brookside;
- Whilst the above length of redway is closed the alternative pedestrian route will be via Heathfield (Two Mile Ash), the redway in Two Mile Ash that runs parallel to Millers Way (H2), Hodge Lea Lane and Alladale Place (and vice versa)
- That part of the redway in Hodge Lea and Abbey Hill from its junction with Brookside, Hodge Lea to its junction with the Abbey Hill footpath;
- Whilst the above length of redway is closed the alternative pedestrian route will be via Brookside, Hodge Lea Lane, the redway that runs between Kiln Farm and Abbey Hill and the Abbey Hill footpath (and vice versa)
- The entire length of Abbey Hill footpath that runs parallel to Monks Way (H3);
- Whilst the above footpath is closed the alternative pedestrian route will be via the redway that links Brookside, Hodge Lea and the Abbey Hill footpath, Brookside, Hodge Lea Lane and the redway that runs between Kiln Farm and Abbey Hill (and vice versa)
- That part of the redway that runs parallel to Watling Street (V4) from a point 25 metres west of the western kerbline of The High Street, Two Mile Ash for a distance of 520 metres in a south-easterly direction.
- Whilst the above length of redway is closed the alternative pedestrian route will be via The High Street, Corn Hill, Heplewell, Two Mile Ash and the redway that runs parallel to Watling Street (V4) (and vice versa)

It is anticipated that the temporary closures will be in effect from 6th July 2015 and will remain in effect up to and including 13th November 2015 or until the said works have been completed, whichever is the sooner.

The Council is satisfied that the temporary closure Order is necessary to enable maintenance works to be carried out on the highway. The temporary Order will come into effect on 6th July 2015 and will expire on 31st December 2015 and will take effect at times during the above period only when maintenance or repair works are required and only when indicated by the appropriate traffic signs, which will be erected in advance of any closure.

There will be no exemptions from the provisions of the Order.

The closure will be clearly signed in accordance with Chapter 8 of the Traffic Signs Manual.

The temporary closure will be in force on the date shown when indicated by the appropriate traffic signs displayed in the affected road.

Any person committing a breach of the order will be liable upon prosecution to such fine as is prescribed by the Road Traffic Regulation Act 1984.

1st July 2015

Synergy Park, Chesney Wold, Bleak Hall

Rachael Kingsley, Head of Highways

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FREE LISTINGS

Milton Keynes Council  
Audit of Accounts 2014/15

Notice of Appointment of Date for Exercise of Public Rights  
Accounts and Audit Regulations (England) 2011

1. Each year the Council's accounts are subject to external audit. Any person interested has the opportunity to inspect and make copies of the accounts and all books, deeds, contracts, bills, vouchers and receipts relating to them. For the year ending 31st March 2015 these documents will be available on application to Milton Keynes Council, 3rd Floor, MK Central, Station Square, Milton Keynes, MK9 1BB between 9.00am and 5.00pm on Mondays to Fridays commencing Thursday 23rd July 2015.
2. Local Government Electors and their representatives also have:
- (i) the opportunity, to question the auditor about the accounts. From Friday 21st August 2015, by prior appointment, and until the conclusion of the audit process, a local government elector for the area of Milton Keynes Council or his/her representative, may ask the auditor questions about the accounts. Please contact Maria Grindley, Ernst & Young LLP, Apex Plaza, Forbury Road, Reading, Berkshire RG1 1YE, to make arrangements to ask questions.
  - (ii) the right to attend before the auditor and make objections to the accounts or any items in them. From Friday 21st August 2015 until the conclusion of the audit process, a local government elector for the area of Milton Keynes Council or his/her representative, may object to the Milton Keynes Council accounts asking that the auditor issue a report in the public interest (under section 8 of the Audit Commission Act 1998) and/or apply to the courts for a declaration that an item in the accounts is contrary to law (under section 17 of the Audit Commission Act 1998). Written notice of a proposed objection and the grounds on which it was made must first be sent to Maria Grindley, Ernst & Young LLP, Apex Plaza, Forbury Road, Reading, Berkshire RG1 1YE and copied to the Council at the address given below.
3. The audit is being carried out by Maria Grindley, Ernst & Young LLP, Apex Plaza, Forbury Road, Reading, Berkshire RG1 1YE and will be conducted under the provisions of the Audit Commission Act 1998 (as saved transitionally for the purposes of the 2014/15 audit of accounts) and the Accounts and Audit Regulations 2011.

1st July 2015  
3rd Floor, MK Central, Station Square  
Milton Keynes, MK9 1BB

Tim Hannam  
Corporate Director - Resources  
Milton Keynes Council

COMMONS ACT 2006 - SECTION 15(1)

Notice of an application for the registration of land as a Town or Village Green

To every reputed owner, lessee, tenant or occupier of any part of the land described below, and to all others whom it may concern.

Application has been made to the Milton Keynes Council, Synergy Park, Chesney Wold, Milton Keynes, MK6 1LY, by Michael Blomley of 39 Passmore, Tinkers Bridge, MK6 3DY under section 15(1) of the Commons Act 2006 and in accordance with the Commons (Registration of Town or Villages) (Interim Arrangements) (England) Regulations 2007. The application seeks the inclusion in the register of town and village greens of the land described below which is claimed to have qualified for registration as a town or village green by Section 15(2) & by virtue of indulgence by a significant number of local inhabitants for lawful sports and pastimes, as of right, for a period over 20 years.

The application, which includes a plan of the land proposed for registration may be inspected at the following office, Rights of Way, Milton Keynes Council, Synergy Park, Chesney Wold, Bleak Hall Milton Keynes, MK6 1LY between the hours of 09.00 and 17.00.

If the registration authority is satisfied that the land described below qualifies for registration as a town or village green, it will so register the land.

Any person wishing to object to the registration of the land as a town or village green should send a statement of the facts on which the objection is based to Mr A Burton, Rights of Way Officer, Synergy Park, Chesney Wold, Bleak Hall, Milton Keynes, MK6 1LY, on or before Thursday 13th August 2015. Any representations that are to be taken into account by the Authority in reaching a decision on the application cannot be treated as confidential and will be copied to the applicant for comment and may be disclosed to other interested parties.

Schedule

Description of the land claimed as Passmore, Woughton on the Green in the Parish of Old Woughton.

COMMONS ACT 2006 - SECTION 15(1)

Notice of an application for the registration of land as a Town or Village Green

To every reputed owner, lessee, tenant or occupier of any part of the land described below, and to all others whom it may concern.

Application has been made to the Milton Keynes Council, Synergy Park, Chesney Wold, Milton Keynes, MK6 1LY, by Stewart Wilson Bennett of 1 Braunston, Woughton Park, MK6 3AT under section 15(1) of the Commons Act 2006 and in accordance with the Commons (Registration of Town or Villages) (Interim Arrangements) (England) Regulations 2007. The application seeks the inclusion in the register of town and village greens of the land described below which is claimed to have qualified for registration as a town or village green by Section 15(2) & by virtue of indulgence by a significant number of local inhabitants for lawful sports and pastimes, as of right, for a period over 20 years.

The application, which includes a plan of the land proposed for registration may be inspected at the following office, Rights of Way, Milton Keynes Council, Synergy Park, Chesney Wold, Bleak Hall Milton Keynes, MK6 1LY between the hours of 09.00 and 17.00.

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Any person wishing to object to the registration of the land as a town or village green should send a statement of the facts on which the objection is based to Mr A Burton, Rights of Way Officer, Synergy Park, Chesney Wold, Bleak Hall, Milton Keynes, MK6 1LY, on or before Thursday 13th August 2015. Any representations that are to be taken into account by the Authority in reaching a decision on the application cannot be treated as confidential and will be copied to the applicant for comment and may be disclosed to other interested parties.

Schedule

Description of the land claimed as Woughton Park, Woughton on the Green in the Parish of Old Woughton.

COMMONS ACT 2006 - SECTION 15(1)

Notice of an application for the registration of land as a Town or Village Green

To every reputed owner, lessee, tenant or occupier of any part of the land described below, and to all others whom it may concern.

Application has been made to the Milton Keynes Council, Synergy Park, Chesney Wold, Milton Keynes, MK6 1LY, by Peter Thomas McDonald of 14 Bakersfield Grove, Woughton on the Green, MK6 3EH under section 15(1) of the Commons Act 2006 and in accordance with the Commons (Registration of Town or Villages) (Interim Arrangements) (England) Regulations 2007. The application seeks the inclusion in the register of town and village greens of the land described in the Schedule below which is claimed to have qualified for registration as a town or village green by Section 15(2) & by virtue of indulgence by a significant number of local inhabitants for lawful sports and pastimes, as of right, for a period over 20 years. The application, which includes a plan of the land proposed for registration may be inspected at the following office, Rights of Way, Milton Keynes Council, Synergy Park, Chesney Wold, Bleak Hall Milton Keynes, MK6 1LY between the hours of 09.00 and 17.00.

If the registration authority is satisfied that the land described below qualifies for registration as a town or village green, it will so register the land.

Any person wishing to object to the registration of the land as a town or village green should send a statement of the facts on which the objection is based to Mr A Burton, Rights of Way Officer, Synergy Park, Chesney Wold, Bleak Hall, Milton Keynes, MK6 1LY, on or before Thursday 13th August 2015. Any representations that are to be taken into account by the Authority in reaching a decision on the application cannot be treated as confidential and will be copied to the applicant for comment and may be disclosed to other interested parties.

Schedule

Description of the land claimed as The Paddocks Area, Woughton on the Green in the Parish of Old Woughton.

Milton Keynes Council

The following applications may be inspected at the Planning and Transport Department, Civic Offices, 1 Saxon Gate East, Milton Keynes. Representations, if any, to be submitted in writing to the above address within 21 days of the publication of this notice.

SECTION 73

15/01279/FUL

WITHIN A CONSERVATION AREA

Change of use from financial and professional services (use class Class A2) to launderette (Sui Generis) at 44 Church Street, Wolverton

15/01337/FUL

Dormer window to rear elevation at 17 Pitcher Lane, Loughton

15/01346/FUL

To apply external insulation to rear of property and to render at 7 Victoria Street, Wolverton

15/01433/FUL

Replacement of windows and doors at 19 Dean Forest Way, Broughton

15/01475/TCA

Notification of intention to fell 1x White Birch tree (T1) at 4-5 Broughton Road, Milton Keynes Village

15/01481/TCA

Notification of intention to fell 1x Ash tree (T1), fell 1x Hawthorn (T2), lift crowns and reduce 3x Maple trees (T3, T4, T5), fell 1x Thorn (T6), remove limbs of 1x Ash (T7), remove suckers from 2x Maple trees (T8, T9) and reduce 2x Thorns (T10, T11) at Brook Cottage, 28 Lower Weald, Calverton

15/01489/FUL

Loft conversion with insertion of 2 roof-lights to rear roof slope at 52 Windsor Street, Wolverton

15/01519/FUL

Replacement of existing original front timber sash windows with uPVC double glazed sash windows at 95 Anson Road, Wolverton

SECTION 67 & 73

15/01393/FUL

LISTED BUILDING WITHIN A CONSERVATION AREA

Proposed conservatory at 2 Gravel Walk, Emberton

15/01394/LBC

Listed building consent for proposed rear conservatory at 2 Gravel Walk, Emberton

15/01506/MMAM

Minor material amendment to condition 1 (approved plans) of application 13/02527/FUL to widen mono-pitch roof of rear garage, replace utility room doors with windows, insertion of door to rear of glazed link and new timber post to support flat roof at The Manor, 10 The Green, Loughton

SECTION 67 & 73

15/01464/FUL

AFFECTING THE SETTING OF A LISTED BUILDING WITHIN A CONSERVATION AREA

Erection of free standing shed at 110 High Street, Stony Stratford

SECTION 67

15/01319/FUL

LISTED BUILDING

Change of use from dwelling house (use class C3) to residential institution (use class C2) and conversion and internal alterations to provide care home for autistic adults at Howe Park House, 32 Hengistbury Lane, Tattenhoe

15/01320/LBC

Listed building consent for change of use from dwelling house (use class C3) to residential institution (use class C2) and conversion and internal alterations to provide care home for autistic adults at Howe Park House, 32 Hengistbury Lane, Tattenhoe

15/01420/LBC

Listed building consent for partial demolition of garden walls to provide on plot parking space at 3 Bridge Street, Olney

SECTION 67

15/01363/FUL

AFFECTING THE SETTING OF A LISTED BUILDING

Conversion of barn 5 to a dwelling at Manor Farm, Newport Road, Hardmead

TOWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING ACT (AS AMENDED)

TOWN AND COUNTRY PLANNING ACT

(DEVELOPMENT MANAGEMENT PROCEDURES) ORDER 2010

NOTICE UNDER ARTICLE 13

MAJOR

15/01448/REM

Reserved matters application pursuant to outline planning permission 13/00652/OUT for access, appearance, landscaping, layout and scale for 61 new dwellings at Brooklands Phase 1E at Land At Brooklands - Phase 1E, Newport Road, Broughton

15/01477/REM

Reserved Matters application pursuant to Outline Planning Permission 13/00652/OUT for access, appearance, landscaping, layout and scale for 85 new dwellings at Brooklands BDW Phase 1D at Land At Brooklands - Phase 1D, Newport Road, Broughton

15/01533/FUL

Demolition of all existing farm buildings (except farmhouse) and the development of up to 1800 dwellings, a local centre to include retail and a community centre, one 1 form of entry primary school, one 2 forms of entry primary school, associated highway infrastructure including two proposed vehicular accesses with the A4146, two proposed pedestrian and cycle bridge crossing the river Ouzel, multi-functional public open space, informal amenity space, children's play space, open space incorporating the scheduled monument, playing fields, allotments, surface water attenuation and strategic landscaping, and associated services and utilities infrastructure at Land At Eaton Leys, Galley Lane, Little Brickhill

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## Alfa Romeo Giulia Unveiled

The all-new Alfa Romeo Giulia has been unveiled to the international media on the 105th anniversary of the founding of A.L.F.A. (Anonima Lombarda Fabbrica Automobili) at a special event in the newly-refurbished Alfa Romeo Museum – “La macchina del tempo” – in Arese, Italy, in the presence of some of the most significant cars in automotive history.

Developed by a Skunkworks of the best engineers, designers and stylists within FCA, the new Giulia embodies the core elements which have made Alfa Romeo one of the world's best-loved automotive brands - distinctive Italian design; innovative powertrains, perfect weight distribution, unique technical solutions and the best weight-to-power ratio.

The taut and compact proportions of the Giulia have evolved from its all-new, rear-wheel drive architecture (all-wheel drive will also be available). With the engine and major mechanical components arranged between the axles to ensure perfect 50/50 weight distribution, the Giulia has very short overhangs, a long bonnet and muscular haunches, while the wheelbase is longest in its segment to maximise stability, comfort and practicality.

Naturally, traditional Alfa Romeo design cues have not been forgotten, as demonstrated by the simple, natural lines of the Giulia, the perfectly-honed surface treatment and the legendary trefoil nose, one of the most recognisable style elements in the automotive world.

Inside, the design is just as crisp and fuss-free and, crucially, centred around the driver, with the main controls



grouped together on the small steering wheel in a similar fashion to a Formula 1 car, while the human-machine interface consists of two simple, user-friendly knobs for adjusting the Alfa DNA selector and the infotainment system. Premium materials, including carbon fibre and real wood, are chosen for their visual and tactile pleasantness and assembled in such a way to make the human touch visible.

Under the bonnet, a range of state-of-the-art engines power the new Giulia with a bespoke unit created for the top-of-the-range Quadrifoglio version. Tuned by engineers from a Ferrari background, the flagship V6 turbo petrol powerplant delivers an impressive 510hp, propelling the Giulia Quadrifoglio from 0 to 62mph in just 3.9 seconds, while also offering surprising fuel efficiency thanks to electronically-controlled cylinder deactivation system. As with all next-generation petrol and diesel engines, this six-cylinder unit is made entirely of lightweight aluminium and will, of course, deliver that distinctive Alfa Romeo sound to complement the performance.

In terms of the suspension, a sophisticated “Alfalink” multilink solution has been chosen for the rear axle, while the front suspension employs a new, double-wishbone set up. Developed exclusively by Alfa Romeo, a new semi-virtual steering axis optimises the filtering effect and guarantees rapid, accurate steering by keeping a constant caster trail in corners. In combination with electronically-controlled adaptive dampers, the always-perfect footprint allows the Giulia to tackle high lateral forces while still ensuring the steering feels direct, natural and instinctive even at very high speeds.

To emphasise the purity and excellence of the mechanicals, it was also determined that electronics should only be used to improve the driving experience. With this in mind, the Giulia introduces an innovative double-clutch Torque Vectoring system to allow the rear differential to control the torque delivery to each wheel independently, improving traction in low grip conditions without having to run up against an invasive stability

control system. The Integrated Brake System is also being introduced on the new Alfa Romeo Giulia – an innovative electromechanical system which combines stability control and a traditional servo brake for instantaneous brake response and record-breaking stopping distances.

The new Giulia Quadrifoglio even has a front Active Aero Splitter to actively manage downforce for higher stability and better cornering grip even at high speed. These state-of-the-art systems are all governed by Chassis Domain Control, the ‘brains’ of the on-board electronics which has been assigned the specific task of optimising performance and driving pleasure.

The new Alfa Romeo Giulia also features a new Alfa DNA system which modifies the car's dynamic behaviour according to the driver's selection: Dynamic, Natural, Advanced Efficient (a new energy-efficiency mode introduced on the Giulia) and, naturally, Racing mode for high performance versions.

To obtain its extraordinary weight-to-power ratio (remarkably, lower than 3kg or 6.6lbs per hp) the Alfa Romeo Giulia combines ample engine performance with the extensive use of ultralight materials throughout. And yet despite all this weight optimisation, the car also boasts the best torsional rigidity in its class, which helps not only optimise handling but also ensures better quality over time and improved acoustic comfort as well.

In short, the Alfa Romeo Giulia can be summed up by the Italian term ‘la meccanica delle emozioni’ (the mechanics of emotion), a phrase which will be used to publicise the car globally.

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# Fiat 500X

## X HITS THE SPOT

The Fiat 500X joins the crossover fray, offering a neat and stylish extension of the 500 franchise. With a choice of front or all-wheel drive, some modern diesel and petrol engines and some aggressive pricing, this one's going to be extremely popular.

The front-wheel drive models will doubtless prove more popular with British buyers who are about as likely to take the 500X off-roading as they are to send it round the Nurburgring. You'll need to pay attention to the badging. A 500X Cross Plus has all-wheel drive but a 500X Cross merely looks as if it does. This being Fiat, we get a range of excellent engines right from the get-go. The petrol engines comprise a 109bhp 1.6-litre E-torQ and the more sophisticated 138bhp 1.4-litre Turbo MultiAir2 unit. Go diesel and you're looking at the smooth 118bhp 1.6-litre MultiJet II for front-wheel drive applications and the 138bhp 2.0-litre MultiJet II if you want four-wheel drive, the latter being mated to a nine(!)-speed automatic transmission. The manual 'boxes get six speeds, unless you're looking at the entry-level 1.6-litre E-torQ transmission, which makes do with five ratios. Fiat has also developed 168bhp 1.4-litre and 184bhp 2.4 petrol powerplants for this car, both with the auto and all-wheel drive.

The 1.6-litre diesel that will attract most footfall here in the UK is respectably brisk, getting to 62mph in 10.5 seconds, while delivering a 320Nm slug of torque. The all-wheel drive models aren't designed to handle quite the same terrain as the Jeep (which gets additional underbody strengthening), but there are tight approach and departure angles and reasonable 179mm of ground clearance. That compares to 162mm you get on front-wheel drive models. The 4x4 500X models are also equipped with specific bumpers and protective skid plates to protect the bodywork and mechanicals from the rigours of off-road use.

We're not sure why we find the 500X that much more palatable a concoction than the 500L supermini-MPV. Perhaps the more curvaceous roofline and windows are more instantly reminiscent of the original Cinquecento than the 500L's unimaginative straight lines. It's certainly something we can imagine proving very popular indeed, and which will give cars like the Renault Captur and Nissan Juke plenty to worry about.

Designed in the Centro Stile FIAT, the 500X measures 4.25m in length, 1.80m in width and 1.60m in height. You get a spacious 350-litre luggage compartment which can be extended using the Fold&Tumble rear seats and the fold-flat front passenger seat. The cabin features wraparound bolstering and arm rests placed in the centre console and on the door trims to aid relaxed cruising. There's a choice of seven fabric, leather and colour configurations and the option of a full-length "Sky Dome" glass sunroof to flood the cabin in natural light.

There will always be resistance to any manufacturer that extends the scope of a retro reissue beyond that of the original car. People lambasted MINI for doing just this with cars like the Countryman and Paceman, but if the job is done well, the buying public eventually comes round. Fiat look to have learned some lessons from the launch of the 500L - a car that should have probably worn '600' badges - and applied them to the 500X. It looks the part and continues a long tradition of small all-wheel drive Fiats, so it's not just a bit of a wheeze dreamed up by some kid in the marketing department with the ink still wet on his MBA certificate.

The styling is neat and assured, it fills a genuinely useful gap in the range, succeeding the Sedici, and the engineering that underpins it is all reassuringly right and exact. Fiat has priced it aggressively, equipped it generously and it's got enough room inside to fulfil that crossover remit. It's a compelling package.

### FACTS AT A GLANCE

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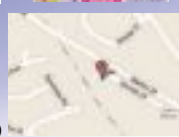
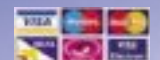
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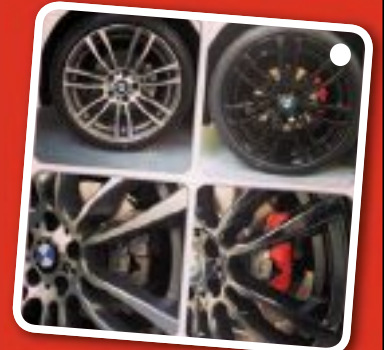


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## CYCLING

# Stannard prepares for France

**IAN Stannard, the former Team Keyne junior who is now one of the world's top pro bike riders, just missed out on a second National Road Race Championship on Sunday in Lincoln.**

But his ride guaranteed him a place in the Team Sky line-up for this year's Tour de France, which starts on Saturday.

Stannard's bronze medal ride came at the end of a 197km course after he had been in the leading break for five of the last eight laps, just missing out on a win by less than 40 seconds.

With nearly all the country's World Tour, European and home-based riders involved, Stannard and his Team Sky team-mate and eventual race winner Peter Kennaugh attacked, leaving a group, that included 2011 World Champion Mark Cavendish, at the end of the third lap.

Cavendish and a third Sky rider, Luke Rowe, made the junction with the two leaders with just over a lap to go, but

Stannard attacked again soon after they started the final lap.

Kennaugh and Cavendish again pulled him back though, leaving Stannard to fight for third place with Welshman Rowe. It was a position he claimed by inches.

"It was great to be riding on home roads again and the crowds that came out for the race were massive," said Stannard.

"But with so many spectators on the narrow roads it really was a case of 'elbows out' to protect your position.

The 2015 Tour de France starts in Utrecht, Holland with a 13km individual time trial before the 198 riders start a three-week, 3,360km journey around France.

The race is split into 21 stages that include more than 20 categorised climbs, exactly the sort of territory a big rider like Stannard will not savour.

But one of the biggest factors ensuring a tour place for Stannard will have been his qualities on the flat roads before



In the saddle: Ian Stannard has been picked for the Team Sky line-up

the race reaches the mountains, as he plays a key role in protecting team leader Chris Froome, which was exactly the role Stannard played when Froome won the Tour in 2013.

Stannard was expected to have been part of his team's line-up

last year when the tour visited England but a broken back from his early season Classics campaign prevented him from doing so.

"It is the biggest race of the year so there's all to play for and all to lose," said Stannard.

## FORMULA ONE

## Silverstone is next stop for the Red Bull drivers

**FROM BACK PAGE** and it goes from there."

That would seem to end any lingering rumours about Horner's future, even if Red Bull's remains in doubt.

The British Grand Prix is next on the agenda for Red Bull Racing this weekend and Ricciardo is a huge fan of Silverstone.

He told the team's website: "Silverstone's awesome. I love high-speed circuits with high-speed corners, so the run from Copse through Maggotts, Becketts, Chapel and then around Stowe are maybe the five coolest corners on the calendar.

"To have them coming at you one after the other - I love it."

Meanwhile, Kvyat is looking forward to racing in Northamptonshire for the first time in a Red Bull Racing car.

He said: "It's a chance for everyone from the factory to stay really close to the race team at a grand prix and that should give it a great atmosphere. It's good for the team I think.

"Silverstone is a real classic. It's a cool circuit - high speeds, incredibly challenging layout, I really enjoy it.

"If you get everything right with the car and your confidence is high

then it brings you a lot of joy.

"The high-speed corners are what it's all about.

"That's where you really feel like you are driving a Formula One car, really pushing hard."

An unbelievable 350,000 people are expected at Silverstone over the race weekend, with 140,000 of those due on Sunday to create what would be the biggest sporting event in the country.

Red Bull currently lie fourth in the constructors championship with 55 points.

In the drivers' standings, Ricciardo is seventh on 36 points and Kvyat is eighth on 19 points.



Rumours: Christian Horner

## CRICKET

## Milton Keynes down to fourth despite victory

**IT WAS** another difficult weekend for Stony Stratford as they succumbed to a 62-run defeat against Brixworth.

Kamran Anwar was pick of the bowlers as Brixworth scored 228-9 in the first innings, but Stony were dismissed for 166 as they stay second

from bottom in the Northamptonshire Cricket League.

Great Brickhill moved back up to second in the Cherwell Cricket League as a score of 110 from Mark Nelson helped them beat Twyford by six wickets.

Graeme Carter also

scored 51 as Great Brickhill responded to Twyford's 247-6 with a score of 251-4.

Naeem Shahzad picked up 5-58 for Wolverton Town as they dismissed Thame Town for 206 but in reply, Wolverton scored 150 to lose by 156 runs.

Milton Keynes moved down to fourth in the Four Counties League despite beating Elstow by seven wickets, with David Garner 61 not out.

North Crawley won again as they dispatched New Bradwell by 147 runs.

A knock of 86 by Matt

Goss gave North Crawley a first innings score of 263-6 and their opponents were 116-9 as Colin Bonnett recorded figures of 3-11.

New City (Milton Keynes) lost by 98 runs to Biddenham, while Milton Keynes City lost to Thurleigh by six wickets.

## SPORTS SHORTS

## SKIING

A MILTON Keynes skier has been selected to compete for England. Lucinda Dilworth, 16, will ski for the U18 Alpine Ski Squad in Manchester.

She will represent England in dry and indoor slope races across the country, as well as at the English Alpine Ski Championships in Italy next February.

The English Alpine Ski Squads, managed by national governing body Snowsport England, are the stepping-stone for young skiers as they work towards skiing for Great Britain and the ultimate aim, the Winter Olympics and World Cup circuit.

## ICE HOCKEY

LEWIS Christie, 25, will return to MK Lightning next season for his eighth consecutive campaign.

Head coach Pete Russell said: "This season I want to see Lewis be more confident on the puck, be moving and looking at options and make a good first pass every time, after he has worked hard to gain possession."

## ATHLETICS

THE third of four Youth Development League matches was held in Rugby and Marshall Milton Keynes Athletics Club youngsters finished second to Rugby and Northampton.

Highlight of the day came from the U17 ladies 4x100m relay team who smashed the club record again with a time of 47.9 to head the UK rankings. The foursome of Rachel Oderinde, Jordan Heron, Casey Hodges and Ebony Carr were able to put the disappointment of their disqualification at Birmingham a few weeks ago to one side with a great performance.

There was plenty of success in the field for the U20 ladies. Laeken Impey and Paige Barnes won both hammer throws - 46.95m and 35.30m respectively.

Laura Zialor high-jumped a personal best of 1.71m for another victory, only 2cm off the long-standing age group club record of set in 1990 by Emma Beales. On the track, Sophia Cliffe continues to establish herself over 400m and won with a time of 62.9.

For the U20 men Jonathan Pownall won his speciality event, the javelin, throwing 52.19m.

## KICKBOXING

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Stannard secures place  
in Tour de France team

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# Dons sign three players

BY SCOTT KIRK

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**DONS have signed three new players who were all available to join the squad for pre-season training on a busy day for the club yesterday.**

Wales striker Simon Church has joined the club on a two-year deal, while USA goalkeeper Cody Cropper and winger Dale Jennings have both signed one-year contracts with options for a further 12 months.

David Martin has signed a two-year contract at the club. The reason for his delay in signing was because he got married and went on honeymoon.

George Baldock has also signed a new contract with Dons but will be loaned to League Two Oxford United for the whole of next season.

It all happened on a day when the squad reconvened for their first training session of the season.

Church said the buzz around the club from last season's promotion was one of the main reasons why he wanted to join after he was released from Charlton Athletic in the summer.

"I had a look around the club last week and there is a big buzz after the achievements from last season," said Church.

"On a personal level, the philosophy that the manager brings and the ambition of the club was a perfect fit for me.

"I was talking to other clubs but here was a perfect fit. I want to get back to playing at a high level and, hopefully, I



The boys are back in town: MK Dons players returned to training yesterday ahead of the 2015-16 Championship season

can do that here.

"I want to get back to scoring goals and I've been frustrated in the last two or three years with things that have gone on off the pitch which have stopped me playing.

"I know the league well and there's nothing to fear – I think we can do really well."

Dons boss Karl Robinson said Jennings had a lot of work to do to get his fitness back after he said he lost his

way at Barnsley last season but the boss is a fan of the winger after he spent a successful loan spell at Dons in the 2013-14 season.

"He has put weight on and he's got a lot of work to do," said Robinson.

"It's not a straight signing, he's got to work hard to prove that he should be at this football club.

"I've given him another chance to resurrect his career

but he's 22 years of age and we've got a tremendous track record with players of that age so I'm excited by that.

"He ticks an awful lot of boxes and hopefully if we can get him right he's someone I'm really excited about it."

Cropper, 22, is a USA international who joins having been released from Southampton.

Dons travel to the Republic of Ireland on Friday as part of

their pre-season training schedule, where they will spend two weeks.

A training camp will take place for a week before friendlies take place against St James' Gate on July 13, Limerick FC on July 14 and Cabinteely FC the following day. They will travel back to England for a double-header at Newport Pagnell Town and Buckingham Athletic on Saturday, July 18.

## Contract extended as British GP looms

CHRISTIAN Horner has put pen to paper on a new contract extension at Red Bull and denied speculation his position is under threat.

That is according to Sky Sports and, as reported by MK NEWS, the team principles' future with the constructors was considered to be uncertain after a challenging few months.

Horner was believed to have been phoned by a Red Bull colleague after the Austrian Grand Prix and offered commiserations on his alleged upcoming exit. Australian Daniel Ricciardo and the Russian Daniil Kvyat collected just one point between them over that weekend.

But, speaking to Sky Sports, Horner said: "I didn't lose any sleep over it because it is absolutely not true. I recently signed an extension to my contract with Red Bull. I have a great relationship with Dietrich and my goal is very much on getting the team back to the situation we were in 18 months ago.

"It is total rubbish. The thing is not to put too much energy into things like that, but in the world we live in sometimes people from rival teams say things and they get picked up and then a story goes on the internet  
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